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OUTLINES.

The Louisiana Senate passes the anti-race betting act by a bare majority after a most exciting contest. It now awaits the Governor's signature ——Miss Reid, the daughter of the American Ambassador to Great Britain, was married yesterday to Hon. John Hubert Ward, King Edward's chief equerry. The King and other members of the royal family attended the wedding and the reception at the Reid residence——A locomotive boiler exploded on the Pennsylvania railroad yesterday, killing three men—— Secretary Taft received an ovation when he appeared on the Yale baseball field yesterday to witness the game between Yale and Harvard. The game was won by the former——Mr. Bryan makes for publication another long criticism of the Republican platform——Hon. Jas. S. Sherman has been removed from the Herrick mansion in Cleveland to a hospital. He is suffering from an attack of gall stone. His physicians do not think there will have to be an operation. He telegraphed Mr. Taft yesterday that he expected to meet the latter in Washington Wednesday of next week ——Georgia will send an uninstructed delegation to the Denver convention ——A bloody riot has occurred around the Parliament house in Teheran. Troops are now camped about the building——New York markets: Money on call easy at 1 to 1 1-2 per cent. ruling rate 1 1-2, offered at 1 1-2, time loans dull and firm. Spot cotton quiet 20 points lower, middling uplands 11.80, middling gulf 12.05. Flour little doing. Wheat, No. 2 red 98 1-2, options 1-2 to 5-8c net lower. Corn steady, No. 2, 78 1-2 nominal elevator. Oats quiet, mixed 54 to 55. Rosin quiet. Turpentine steady.

It won't be long now before the public will know who is to be the next Governor of the State.

Mr. Bryan must intend to conduct the presidential campaign without any campaign fund at all.

If this sort of weather does not drive people to the seashore no kind will, and it is doing it too.

Wilmington tackles Newbern again the last three days of this week. Maybe she will raise her percentage then.

The Republicans assembled at Chicago seem to have forgotten to "point with pride" to that railroad currency bill.

The Brooklyn Eagle remarks that "The Republican convention will now proceed to enjoy himself at his summer home in Oyster Bay."

Railroads say they do not like to haul excursions. State conventions like the one to convene in Charlotte today are a big thing for them, however.

That favorite sons' alliance at Chicago did not seem to make much of a show when it came to preventing the nominations going to the Administration's favorites.

Some folks denounce Mr. Roosevelt for bossing the Republican party, just as if they would not do the same with their own if they had the sense and the opportunity to do so.

We suppose most of the delegates to the Denver convention will be as obedient to the boss' command as were those at Chicago. The Democrats cannot fling "boss rule" at the Republicans.

It is said Governor Glenn will not present the punch bowl and other pieces of silver to the cruiser Raleigh. He will be out of the State at the time of the presentation. So says the Newbern Sun.

For the last two or three days the weather here has been disagreeably warm, but not so bad as in some of our neighboring towns. The almost constant seabreeze here makes high temperatures bearable.

Many of the delegates went to Charlotte yesterday feeling bright and in good spirits. They will have a different feeling when they get home about Friday, worn out in body and mind. That is one consolation for those who were unable to attend the convention.

We don't thing the Rads can make the Southern people believe the present high price of fresh meats or the disappointment as to the expected phenomenal rise in the price of cotton is due to the possible success of the Democratic party next fall or as an aftermath of the two Cleveland administrations in the last century.

Near Altoona, Ala., yesterday Miss Miller, while seated on her porch, was struck by lightning and killed. A nursing baby alseep on the floor was severely shocked and cannot recover.

IN SUPERIOR COURT

Docket Sufficiently Cleared of Minor Cases, Capital Felonies are Now Set.

SEVERAL SPECIAL VENIRES

Sam Glover Will be Placed on Trial Today and Other Defendants in Their Order During Remainder of Term.

No matters of any great interest were disposed of in the Superior Court yesterday, though sufficient progress was made on the minor jail cases that the work of the remainder of the term with respect to the more important matters could be mapped out with some degree of certainty.

It has practically been agreed to take up the case of Sam Glover, the negro charged with stabbing another to death in the northern part of the city something over a year ago, this morning. On Friday of this week it has been agreed to take up the cases of Tom Wells and Robert Bolden, the negro ex-convicts charged with a criminal assault on Laura Hill, colored, at Hilton Park on a Saturday afternoon early in April. The negroes were first tried for highway robbery of the Hill woman and a negro man escort and were then later charged with the more serious offense by the woman. The grand jury came into court yesterday in a body and returned a true bill against the defendants and Judge Peebles ordered a special venire of 100 men from which to select the jury.

The case of the young white men Cook and Riggins, of Delgado, charged with the killing of Banks Rothwell, an old colored man of Masonboro Sound, whom they went to arrest on a warrant sworn out by L. M. Bryant, who has since fled the county under charge of complicity in the killing, will be placed on trial Monday and a special venire has also been drawn from which to select a jury for their case.

Timothy Clemmons, the middle-aged white man charged with criminal assault at Delgado a few weeks ago, will be tried on Wednesday of next week, according to the arrangements now. The case was set Monday for trial today, but later it was decided to postpone the hearing until Wednesday of next week. He is represented by L. Clayton Grant, Esq., who claims that he will be able to make a valid defense of his client.

Upon the opening of court yesterday morning Jurors F. W. Dock and Chas. McMillen were called out and fined $40 each, but this fine was later stricken out upon their appearance with satisfactory excuse for non-attendance earlier.

Cases disposed of yesterday were as follows: Lottie Smith, sci fa, judgment suspended. Simon Allen, interfering with officer in the discharge of his duties, verdict not guilty; assault with deadly weapon, 12 months on the roads. Henry Taylor, assault with deadly weapon, pleaded guilty; six months on the roads. Bert Green, carrying a concealed weapon, verdict guilty; fined $20 and costs. Nelson Griffin, carrying a concealed weapon; called and failed. Willie Hines, carrying a concealed weapon; called and failed. J. A. Ashe, larceny; nol pros with leave. Tom Croom, assault; defendant submitted and judgment suspended on payment of costs. George Lowe, assault with deadly weapon; four months on the roads. Chas. Everett, larceny, called and failed. Washington Jones, carrying a concealed weapon; called and failed. J. W. Collins, cruelty to animals and assault with deadly weapon; called and failed.

Court took a recess at 2:30 o'clock until 3:30 in the afternoon for the purpose of drawing a special venire and later there was an adjournment for the day until 9 o'clock this morning.

The defendants, Cook and Riggins, will be represented at their trial by Walter P. Gafford, Esq., while L. Clayton Grant, Esq., will appear for the defense in the capital cases of Sam Glover, charged with murder, and Robert Bolton and Tom Wells, charged with criminal assault. It is expected that the full two weeks of the court will be consumed with the trial of these capital felonies unless submissions are made in one or more of them.

Life Saver at Ocean View Hotel.

Mr. Freeman Yopp, a clever young Wilmingtonian who was last year with the Hotel Tarrymoore in the same capacity, has been engaged as life saver at the Ocean View Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, for the remainder of the season and went on duty yesterday for the first time. He understands the surf perfectly and does not hesitate at risks and difficult situations when it comes to the safety of patrons of the hotel by which he is engaged.

104 cases dry goods received by Clyde steamer this week for Rehder's Mill-End Sale which starts Saturday. Get ready for the big sale. **

Tonight.

Mid-week dance at Lumina. Everybody going. **

MASONIC OBSERVANCE

St. John's Day Will be Fittingly Celebrated by Wilmington and Southport Lodges With Joint Installation of Officers

The Masonic fraternity of the lower Cape Fear, embracing the lodges at Wilmington and Southport, will today join in an elaborate and most fitting observance of St. John's Day with an excursion to Southport and a public installation of officers for the ensuing Masonic year in the beautiful Oak Grove, near the Academy building, in Southport.

The steamer Wilmington has been chartered for the day and it is expected that with fair weather there will be a very large crowd. The steamer leaves for Southport at 9 o'clock and the visitors will be met upon arrival by Pythagoras Lodge No. 249. There will be a procession from the lodge room to the grove in which the exercises will take place. The installing officer will be Past Grand Master Chas. H. Robinson with Past Master D. I. Watson as deputy grand marshal. The exercises will open with a selection by a male quartette composed of Messrs. Chas. McMillen, H. K. Holden, Brooke French and James S. Williams. This will be followed by the installation of officers of the four lodges according to the Masonic ritual. Next will be a selection by the Fort Caswell band and the Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., will deliver an address appropriate to the occasion. The closing feature will be a selection by the male quartette.

The public is cordially invited to take the outing with the Masons and are assured of a very pleasant day. A basket picnic will be given in the grove and there will be other features of entertainment and interest for all present. The joint committee of arrangements is composed as follows:

Chairman—Isaac Bear.

Secretary—S. M. Boatwright.

St. John's Lodge No. 1—B. A. Merritt, I. W. Solomon and S. M. Boatwright

Wilmington Lodge No. 319—J. Mercer Taylor, W. G. A. Otersen and Isaac Bear.

Orient Lodge No. 395—J. Holmes Davis, H. K. Holden and C. C. Brown.

Pythagoras Lodge No. 249.—J. A. Dosher, C. Ed Taylor and J. Berg.

The officers of the several lodges for installation are as follows:

St. John's—Master, Jno. S. McEachern; Senior Warden, C. L. Meister; Junior Warden, H. H. Merritt; Secretary A. S. Holden;; Treasurer, H. Burkheimer; Senior Deacon, Ed P. Bailey; Junior Deacon, R. W. Herring; Tiler, A. W. Allen; Stewards, T. D. Love and J. W. Freeman; Chaplain, Rev. J. A. Smith.

Wilmington Lodge No. 319—Worshipful Master, J. Mercer Taylor; Senior Warden, R. C. Cantwell; Junior Warden, Walter Gaylor; Treasurer, W. G. A. Otersen; Secretary, Thos. F. Bagley; Senior Deacon, A. Myatt Smith; Junior Deacon, W. K. Gaylor; Stewards, A. L. Motte, Jr., and A. Silverman; Tiler, W. A. Johnson; Chaplain, Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D.

Orient Lodge—Worshipful Master, Thos. R. Orrell; Senior Warden, G. Leonard Allen; Junior Warden, J. Holmes Davis; Treasurer, James C. Munds; Secretary, C. C. Brown; Senior Deacon, Edward H. Munson; Junior Deacon, James F. Sears; Stewards Henry B. Bailey and J. D. Bellamy, Jr..; Tiler, Herbert K. Holden.

Pythagoras Lodge—Master, C. Ed Taylor; Senior Warden, J. Berg; Junior Warden, R. W. Davis; Secretary, Geo. H. Ruark; Treasurer, S. M. Robbins; Senior Deacon, C. M. Phillips; Junior Deacon, B. J. Holden; Tiler, J. A. Dew; Stewards, W. G. Butler and A. L. Lind.

FARMERS' INSTITUTES.

Series of More Than 150 From July 15th to August 22nd.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Raleigh, N. C., June 23.—The State Department of Agriculture has arranged for a series of 150 farmers' institutes in the State from July 15th to August 22nd. There will be four parties in the field. Two car loads of improved machinery and other apparatus for these institutes will be hauled free of charge by the railroads. One of the series of institutes opens at Shelby and closes at Rutherfordton; another at Green Level, Wake county, and closes at Maysville; still another at Snow Hill, closing at Jonesboro; at Chadbourn, closing at Durham, and at Supply, Brunswick county, closing at Granite Falls, Caldwell county.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Crystal Palace—Programme.

Atlantic Coast Line—To Asheville.

J. H. Rehder & Co.—Mill-End Sale.

M. O'Brien—Attention Liquor Dealers.

Atlantic Coast Line—Excursion Rates.

American National Bank—Every Detail.

St. John's Lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. M.—Special Communication.

Business Locals.

Reward—For Colored Boy.

Wanted—To Borrow $500.00.

Wanted—Position as Stenographer.

Get ready for the big Mill-End Sale at Rehder's. Starts Saturday at 9 o'clock. **

STORM CLOTHES ON

Sailors Under Full Canvas Scudded Before Breezes at Wilson Yesterday Afternoon.

TOBACCONISTS DEFEATED

Score Six to Two—Raleigh Red Sox Win Over Goldsboro and Kinston Takes Another From Crippled Newbern.

Results Yesterday.

Wilmington 6, Wilson 2.
Kinston 5, Newbern 2.
Raleigh 5, Goldsboro 3.

Games Today.

Raleigh at Goldsboro.
Wilmington at Wilson.
Kinston at Newbern.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
Wilson	9	3	.750
Goldsboro	7	4	.636
Wilmington	7	6	.538
Raleigh	6	7	.461
Kinston	5	6	.454
Newbern	2	10	.166

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wilson, N. C., June 23.—The Sailors had on their storm clothes this afternoon, tarpaulings and all, when they weighed anchor and began the game. Up to the seventh inning the wind was not sufficient to force them ahead of the Tobacconists to any advantage but when they went to the bat in the eighth, a squall seemed to hover overhead which had the effect to rattle the land lubbers, the Tobacconists.

During this inning it was a merry-go-round for the Sand Fiddlers, five runs being made. The features were Flynn's three-bagger in the third which with an error of short-stop made a safe landing for the Sailors over the plate, and a two-bagger by Smith in the eighth. On this and a wild throw from left fielder, he went to third. Here is where the Sailors did good work. In this inning five scored.

Holt for the home team in the last half of the eighth made a safe hit to home for Guerrant. Wagner made a two-base hit. Miller made a three-base hit but all to no purpose for by this time the game was over and the Sailors were victorious.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilson	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Wagner, lf	3	0	1	1	0	1
Moore, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Mills, 1b	4	1	0	10	0	0
Miller, rf	4	0	3	2	0	1
Turner, ss	3	0	0	1	0	2
Mayberry, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Guerrant, 3b	3	1	0	0	6	0
Holt, c	3	0	2	11	1	0
Thompson, p	4	0	0	0	0	1
	30	2	6	27	7	5

Wilmington	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Flynn, lf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Hoey, 1b	4	1	2	11	1	0
Kite, rf	4	1	2	3	0	1
Doak, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Smith, 3b	4	0	1	2	2	0
McDonnell, c	4	0	0	3	0	0
Corneal, 2b	4	0	0	4	5	0
Jayes, ss	3	1	0	3	2	1
Wysong, p	4	1	1	0	0	0
	35	6	7	27	10	2

Score by Innings.

Wilson .. ..000 100 010—2 6 5
Wilmington . . ..001 000 050—6 7 2

Batteries: Wysong and McDannell; Thompson and Holt.

Summary. Two base hits, Smith, Wagner; three-base hits, Miller, Flynn; bases on balls, three by Wysong; struck out, one by Thompson; umpire Henderson; time 1:45; attendance 900.

Game at Goldsboro.

Goldsboro, N. C., June 23.—The poorest exhibition of baseball ever witnessed here was the game this afternoon between Raleigh and Goldsboro. Lee, for Raleigh, pitched a shut-out game, but his support was simply rotten. Wrenn, Raleigh's catcher, was hurt sliding to second in the second inning and had to retire, being attended by a physician.

Score by Innings.

Raleigh .....210 011 000—5 9 7
Goldsboro .....020 000 010—3 3 6

Batteries— Lee, Brandon and Wrenn and Thompson; Blackburn and Edgar.

Summary—Earned runs, Raleigh 2; two-base hit, Harris; three-base hit, Warren; stolen bases, Warren, Strebeigh, Thompson, Wrenn, Farmer and Sullivan; double plays, Blackburn to Edgar to Gibson, and Umstead to Adams to Gibson; base on balls, off Lee 2, off Brandon 1, and Blackburn 4; hit by pitched ball, by Lee 1; struck out, by Lee 4, Brandon 2, Blackburn 4; passed balls, Edgar 2; wild pitch, Lee 1. Time of game 2:10. Umpire Shepard. Attendance 400.

Newbern's Ninth Consecutive.

Newbern, N. C., June 23.—Kinston won from Newbern today by a score of 5 to 2. Newbern's ill luck was due to dumb playing, Warwick, pitcher for the Newbern's walking eight men, four of them being in the second inning. This is the ninth consecutive defeat for Newbern. The score:

Newbern 2 8 3
Kinston 5 5 3

Thursday, Friday and Saturday Newbern goes up against the strong Wilmington team, but expects to strengthen considerably by that time.

Umpire Smith Resigns.

Raleigh, N. C., June 23.—Mr. H. W. Shepherd, of Sycamore, Ill., who has an excellent record in the baseball world, was yesterday appointed umpire by President Washington to succeed Mr. John Ivey Smith, who has resigned. Mr. Shepherd umpired his first game yesterday in Goldsboro, and from all accounts gave general satisfaction.

Are You Going?

Mid week dance at Lumina tonight. **

EXPLOSION INJURES THREE

Air Tank on Gasolene Launch Aboard Which Caswell Soldiers Were Going to Southport, Blew Up Yesterday Afternoon.

As the result of the explosion of an air tank on board the government gasolene launch Lillian on which a party of soldiers were coming over the bay from Forst Caswell to Southport yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock, Sergeant Brown and Corporal Calvin, of the 19th Company Coast Artillery, were seriously injured and Private Collins, of the same command, was slightly hurt.

Private Rogers, in charge of the launch, saved himself by jumping from the boat and was later picked up uninjured. A colored man, Gilmer, also on board escaped unhurt though he was badly frightened. The injured men were taken as quickly as possible to the hospital at the barracks where they are being given attention by the post surgeon, though it is said that one of the men, the worst injured, will lose a leg as the result of the explosion, the limb being badly torn and shattered.

Telephone communication with Southport was very difficult yesterday and full particulars could not be ascertained further than those given above. From what can be learned the explosion occurred nearly midstream and caused much excitement both at Southport and the army post. The launch is reported to have been damaged not beyond repair though a part of the side was torn away. The air tank on board was used for the signal whistle which is required on all launches under the recent government regulations.

Private Collins, who was least injured, suffered a severe sprain of the back and several bruises. Other than that one of the other two men will probably lose his leg, the nature of their wounds could not be ascertained.

ALMOST FATAL AFFAIR

Enraged Negro Used His Gun Very Effectively—Ballard Shot.

Followed by an encounter between Ivy White and Harrison Ballard, which occurred Saturday night in the city, the former went to his home on Middle Sound and after securing a gun laid in wait for Ballard and shot him when he was about to enter his home, at close range.

The shooting took place about 4 o'clock Sunday morning and White remained a fugitive until arrested by Constable Savage Monday afternoon, while Ballard, who is painfully but not seriously injured, was brought to the city and carried to the James Walker Memorial Hospital. The shooting is said to have been caused by domestic troubles, which had been the result of other trouble between the two, but the full facts will not be given out until the preliminary trial next Saturday afternoon before Justice John J. Furlong.

White was sent to jail in default of a $50 bond and is held on the charge of assault and battery with a deadly weapon. Ballard was injured in the left arm and side and it is believed will be able to attend the trial Saturday.

Rev. W. A. Snyder to Have Vacation.

The Council of St. Paul's Lutheran Church has granted its pastor, Rev. W. A. Snyder, a five weeks vacation. Coming as it does after a year's strenuous labor along many lines, Pastor Snyder will spend a period of rest amid the scenes of his boyhood in the North. He will leave with his family on Monday next for Cleveland and Detroit and later visit Canada. Next Sunday two communion services will be conducted at St. Paul's, the German Communion in the morning at 11 o'clock with preparatory service at 10:30 and the English Communion at 8 P. M. with preparatory service at 7:30. During pastor Snyder's absence Rev. George S. Bearden, of St. Matthew's, will attend to the pastoral work and also preach at a 6 o'clock vesper service every other Sunday.

Observance of Fourth in Wilmington.

Every indication of an eventful and glorious celebration of the Fourth of July in Wilmington and at the beaches is in evidence and the various attractions and amusements arranged for this date will likely attract hundreds of pleasure-seekers. There will be amusements of unusual interest at both Carolina and Wrightsville beaches, two games of baseball at the League Park and interesting contests will be held by the Young Men's Christian Association.

EVE OF CONVENTION

Scenes in And Around Charlotte Presented an Animated Picture Last Night.

VISITORS ON EVERY TRAIN

Good Care Being Taken of All—Talk of Dark Horses—Nominating Speeches Begin This Afternoon—Preliminaries.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Charlotte, N. C., June 23.—All is ready for the great Democratic State Convention. The hall of the new auditorium with a seating capacity of 4,500 is in ship shape, the delegates are in fine spirits and the candidates in fine form. There is nothing lacking to make the convention of 1908 the greatest in the history of the State.

Enough bitterness has been injected in the gubernatorial campaign to make the supporters of the several candidates half mad. The Craig men are determined to have the West well represented on the State ticket and they say that Locke Craig is the proper champion for the occasion; the Horne supporters swear that they will stay here until Gabriel blows his trumpet or win, and the Kitchinites believe that it is all over but the shouting.

Charlotte is in its best bib and tucker, with thousands of electric lights glowing on every street, and every open home full of delegates, and every delegate full of yells. The youngest child here will not forget the 23rd or the 24th and 25th of June. All incoming trains today were loaded with people for the convention. Hundreds and hundreds of delegates and alternates, wearing badges, moved about the streets, some seeking places to lodge, some strolling for the exercise, some seeing the sights and some working for their favorites.

Many were bent on amusement. The game of baseball between Charlotte and Greenville attracted many to the ball park. But, everywhere, in the hotels, on the streets, and on the trains the crowd was good natured. It was reported tonight that several of the hot-blooded delegates from the Scotch counties, among them Robeson and Cumberland, had fisticuff fights but no blood was spilt or contusions left. Fisticuffing is a pleasant pastime among the Highland Macks. Barring such rumors the stories that reached the ears of the newspapermen were of wire pulling and twisting.

The hotels, boarding houses, dining rooms, restaurants, cafes and lunch counters fed well the growing multitudes. The local committees reported tonight that they had the situation well in hand. In speaking of housing the visitors, who will swell into a tremendous crowd today, President E. R. Preston, of the Greater Charlotte Club, which has undertaken the task of placing people, said that the club still holds a list of rooms to accommodate several hundred persons, but as a precaution he would ask everyone in the city, who had a spare bed, to telephone immediately to Mr. W. T. Corwith, Secretary of the Club, at No. 1287. Mr. Preston added that the people of the city, one and all, had shown a willingness to take the best possible care of the visitors and there seemed to be little danger of anybody suffering for lack of something to eat or somewhere to lay his head.

There is nothing new in the political situation. The friends of Messrs. Craig, Horne and Kitchin were at work all day and most of the night. Wire pullers are doing some of the cleverest work ever done before in a North Carolina convention. It is a well known fact that certain Tar Heel politicians are among the shrewdest in the country. Among the men who are at the bat are the Kitchins, E. L. Travis and A. H. Eller at the Central; Charles B. Aycock, Fred and Sid Woodard, Reece Blair and Locke Craig at the Selwyn, and Messrs. Simms, Clark and others at the Buford. It would not be safe to bet who would be permanent chairman except to say that it will certainly be a Horne. The latest report is to the effect that Mr. W. P. Parsons, of Richmond, would be permanent chairman. Senator Overman is being talked of for the chief presiding officer but he is a "looker on" in Vienna. This matter will be settled today.

One part of the programme has been arranged and that is the arrangement for the nominating and seconding speeches. Mr. Chas. W. Tillett, of this city, will make the speech, and it will be for Kitchin. Mr. T. W. Bickett, of Louisburg, will follow for Horne. The third speech will be that of Gov. Chas. B. Aycock, of Goldsboro, for Craig. Mr. Victor S. Bryant, for Kitchin; Mr. J. E. Ellington, for Horne, and Representative W. T. Crawford, for Craig, will follow. If there is no hitch Mr. Tillett should begin to speak about 4 or 5 o'clock. This will be the oratorical treat of the occasion. The speeches of Messrs. Tillett, Bickett, Aycock, Bryant, Ellington and Crawford should be eloquent.

A number of candidates arrived

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SHERMAN AND WRIGHT.

"With Sherman on the ticket the appointment of Luke Wright will not give the slightest jar to the solidity of the South," says a Southern newspaper. We cannot see what the name of the man in the second place on the ticket has to do with the strength of the same so far as the South is concerned. Now if General W. T. Sherman were alive and had been the man nominated it would have had a great deal of effect, or even were the present nominee closely related to the man who made that famous march through the South, it would have had its influence in this section of the country. But we cannot believe that the mere fact that a man happens to bear the same surname as that famous Federal general, while not being related to him in the slightest degree, will have any effect on those men of the South who otherwise would vote the Republican ticket. It is true it was a foolish proceeding and rather a discourtesy to some members of the convention for the Sherman men to usher in his boom with a band parading the convention hall playing "Marching Through Georgia," and had the election occurred immediately after the convention that incident might possibly have affected the Republican vote in the South and especially in those States traversed by Sherman's army in its "march to the sea," but coming so long after it there will be no such influence. By November the people will have forgotten all about the incident or will have ceased to attach any importance to it.

Nor do we believe the appointment by Mr. Roosevelt of General Luke Wright to the high position of Secretary of War will have any effect on the Republican Presidential vote in the South outside of the State of Tennessee. It may reduce the Democratic majority to some extent in that State by gaining some of the floating vote to other side; but no loyal Democrats of the South or of the State of Tennessee will vote the Republican ticket because the retiring President appointed a man from their section or their State to a Cabinet position. It might be different were Mr. Taft to let it be known positively between this time and election day that it was his intention if elected to place several public men of high standing in the South in his cabinet. We do not deny that it is possible Mr. Roosevelt made this appointment hoping and thinking that it would add strength in the South to his party's nominee, whom he had good reason at the time the appointment was made would be a man who it was generally understood, would carry out the policies of the present administration. Were this the President's views he probably was right in so far as General Wright's State is concerned, but no further, and not to a great extent as to that one of the Southern States. What the results of the election in the South will be will depend more on whom the Democrats nominate at Denver than on from what section of the country the present incumbent of the White House chooses the members of his cabinet to fill what vacancies may occur during the remainder of his term of office.

AT CHARLOTTE TODAY.

The eyes of the whole State are turned toward Charlotte today, and every man of whatsoever party is anxiously waiting for news of the results of the Democratic convention. It is one of the most important political conventions that has been held in this State in many years.

The people are greatly interested, not only in the outcome of the contest for the nomination for Governor and the other State officers in which there are to be contests, but also in the declaration of political principles to be declared as the platform of the party of the State.

In fact this latter action is of almost, if not of fully as much importance as the nomination of a candidate for the head of the ticket. In these days when there is such divergence of opinion among members of the Democratic party as to party principles, and as to what Democracy stands for the action along this line is of the greatest importance, and it is to be hoped that the convention will adopt a platform on which all Democrats can stand and support the man whom the convention names as its exponent of those principles.

The mistake is often made by our party conventions in putting off the adoption of the platform until late in the proceedings—in fact making it about the last work—when many delegates have left and those who remain are tired out and anxious to get through with this generally considered perfunctory part of the proceedings, except a few of the wire-pullers who engineer through without serious opposition any declaration they wish to have embraced in the platform. It should not be so. Greater interest should be taken by all the delegates in their party's declarations of principles. The platform should always be adopted before the convention proceeds to the nomination of candidates. Were this rule followed, our party's platform would more often conform to the views of the men expected to do the voting.

This is good weather for driving people to the seashore. Everybody who can get out of the sweltering heat should take in a few days at the seashore and enjoy the invigorating ocean breeze, and there is no pleasanter place for such recuperating pleasure than Wrightsville Beach, where no matter from which way the wind blows, it comes across salt-water and where the person who fancies sea food can get it in every variety served in the most appetizing style.

Appleton's Magazine for July is to hand, filled with amusing and interesting matter that will suit all tastes. Among the more solid articles is one "Does Prohibition Pay?" by Rev. Chas. F. Aked and Geo. C. Lawrence, and "The Public's Responsibility For Railroad Accidents." There are many other articles of lighter reading. The magazine is published monthly by D. Appleton & Co., New York, price 15 cents a copy, or $1.50 a year.

"We extend a cordial invitation to Charlotte to come to our centennial in October and see a place fitted for holding big gatherings, by which time our auditorium will be in shape. Of course, Mr. Taft is coming, the Marine Band, a regiment of cavalry, etc., and we propose to show the people the largest crowd ever gathered in a North Carolina town."—Greensboro Record.

Greensboro had better wait until she sizes up the crowd that is to be in Charlotte today before she makes such rash promises.

The Raleigh Times refers to the increase in the price of fresh meats and the proposition that it be met by a lessening of the amount consumed by the people. It says a better way to combat the trust protected packers is to secure a reduction of the tariff on fresh meats. It forgets, apparently, that the people can bring about the former, but have been shown to be powerless to accomplish the latter.

Some people will take it as a bad omen that the train on which Mr. Taft was traveling east just after his nomination came near being wrecked and others will say it is a good sign that impending disaster was so remarkably averted and the train saved from impending disaster. All superstitious people can take their choice.

The Florida Times-Union refers to the fact that Tom Watson has not yet been notified of his nomination for the Presidency. We suppose that Populist committee is waiting to unite with the Democratic committee which will notify him of his nomination for the Vice Presidency by the latter party, so there can be a dual notification ceremony.

Did you know a dollar bill is worth nearly its weight in gold? By actual test it has been found that 27 new dollar bills weigh as much as a $20-gold piece. After a little use they accumulate so much dirt that it takes only 26 to balance the gold piece in the scales. My, what a number of microbes there must be on one of those old dirty scraps of paper.

The friends of the three candidates for the Gubernatorial nomination are already beginning to talk about who will be the second choice of the followers of the different candidates. Many think there will be a break to some one of the three early in the balloting. No one can predict with any certainty what the outcome will be.

The Republican platform does not have anything to say about the publicity of campaign contributions notwithstanding the positive stand taken by its candidate for President in his letter to temporary chairman of the convention which nominated him. Why is that?

If Mr. Taft is Mr. Roosevelt's candidate and Mr. Roosevelt has stolen all of Mr. Bryan's political principles and if the Democrats nominate Mr. Bryan to oppose the Roosevelt candidate for the Presidency, how can the Democratic candidate attack the political principles of his opponent?

In the Democratic convention which meets in Charlotte today there are 857 votes. In this body the majority rule prevails. Therefore it will require 429 votes to nominate the candidadtes and to adopt any resolutions which may be offered.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Some of the citizens are knocking because they say it is unjust to make them pay a privilege tax to keep a dog and then be fined because the dog runs on the street. Now if all the dogs found running on the street are taken up and those unclaimed after a certain time, were chloroformed, the dog question could be easily handled.—Newbern Journal.

—Tomorrow the Democratic hosts will be gathering at Charlotte, and that city will be quivering with animation, and pulsating with enthusiasm. The friends of all the candidates will be there, and it is to be hoped that good judgment and wise counsels will prevail, without the bitterness that will leave a sting. Remember that we all be brethren, fighting a common enemy.—Durham Sun.

—The reverend gentleman who did the praying for the Republican national convention did not appear to have been heard with attention by the delegates, and, with this in mind, it would be just as well to have Mr. Bryan himself to open his convention in Denver with prayer. That would insure a proper respect for the religious feature of the convention.—News and Courier.

—The New York World, which for months has been posing as a friendly counselor of the Democratic party, while rendering every possible aid and encouragement to the enemy, finally drops the mask and bows its neck to receive the yoke. In a leader taking up the entire editorial page, and which is entitled "President Taft," it accepts the election of Roosevelt's man as certain. It has much more to assert, but this is the chief purpose of the editorial—to claim, upon the part of a "Democratic" journal, months in advance of the election and before the campaign has been begun, that the nominee of the common enemy is as good as elected. To take such a step is to march over to the enemy. It is to desert the colors and the principles for which we have been fighting. It is even worse; for this boastful desertion may discourage those who are standing in the ranks ready to fight to the end and confident of victory.—Columbia State.

—Nominee Taft's religious affiliations are, of course, properly his own affair, but since they form legitimate matter of public inquiry some light upon them will not be amiss. Such information is the more in order for the reason that it serves to correct misinformation already widespread. Mr. Taft is not a Catholic, as generally supposed, but a Unitarian. What gave rise to the popular impression we have no idea, unless the mutually agreeable manner in which negotiations concerning the Philippine friar lands were carried on between himself and Catholic prelates inspired the first wrong guesses. His father and mother, the former Attorney General in President Grant's Cabinet and later minister to Russia and Austria, were both Unitarians and he is himself a member of that Church. Mrs. Taft is an Episcopalian, holding a pew in St. John's church, Washington. Miss Helen Taft follows her mother's Church connection and the Secretary has not infrenquently attended the St. John's services with them. These are the religious affiliations of the new Republican presidential nominee and his family.—Charlotte Observer.

—One of the strongest reasons advanced for the adoption of the constitutional amendment, and the consequent disfranchisement of the negro, was that it would avoid the necessity of "cheating the nigger," which was openly admitted and defended as a necessity; and the hope and promise were held out that thereafter the ballot would be conducted on the high plane of principle. Have our expectations been met? Is the ballot pure? Are capacity and character the supreme tests which intelligent and incorruptible manhood suffrage applies to those who would hold our offices? Possibly there is little or no corruption in the general elections ,but can this be said of our primaries? And is not the man who would purchase a nomination ,which with us generally means election, a much greater criminal than the election officer who stood at the polls and refused to count the ballots of ignorant negroes? The election official had nothing purely personal to gain. He believed, and had good reason to believe, that our racial integrity, our very civilization was at stake, while the ballot buyer, the vote boodler, is for self and self alone.—Correspondence in Charlotte Observer.

TWINKLINGS.

—Judge Fennel—I heard that your brother was cast upon strange waters. Colonel Bluegrass—Suh, all waters are strange to him.—Judge.

—First Officeholder—What is your favorite quotation? Second Officeholder—One good term deserves another.—Philadelphia Record.

—"Do you make foreign loans?" "Not often. I made one this year. I loaned $30 to that bogus French count."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

—"The incubator has its limitations," remarked Mr. Snapp. "So?" "Yep. The human old hen can hatch lots more trouble merely by cackling."—Kansas City Times.

—Miss Broadway—They say he married her because of her figure. Mr. Madison—Well, that was quite natural. "Oh, no. Indeed it wasn't."—Life.

—"Who is the old file over there with a comic coat, the stovepipe hat, and the baggy-kneed trousers?" "That's the professor who is lecturing on the absurdities of woman's dress."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

—Lola—Last night young Borem declared he would willingly go to the ends of the earth for me. Grace—And what did you say? Lola—I finally got him to make a start for home and let it go at that.—Chicago Daily News.

—Dick—I didn't get much encouragement when I proposed to that haughty beauty. Jack—Well, faint heart never won fair lady, old man. Maybe she thought you had cold feet. Dick—H'm! She must have thought I had cold hands. She gave me the mitten.—Chicago Daily News.

—Bound to Sell—"There's going to be a big demand for those new-fangled divorces," said Mr. Mumm the other evening. "What new-fangled divorces?" asked Mrs. Mumm. "Why, that new kind where a man can keep his wife but gets an absolute divorce from her relations."—Detroit Free Press.

—"Our little town is boomin'," said Sububs, proudly. "I heard a couple of traveling salesmen talking very enthusiastically about it in our business section today." "Yes?" said Citiman. "What lines were they selling?" "One was a drug salesman, and—er— the other sold funeral supplies.—Philadelphia Press.

—The Poet—Look here, I understand that you said that the poem I had in Punksey's this month was the worst thing I ever wrote. The Critic—I said nothing of the kind. The Poet—Ah, I'm glad of that. What did you say about it? The critic—I said it was the worst poem anybody ever wrote.—Cleveland Leader.

—The Feminist Movement—The Barber's Assistant (doubtfully)—Haircut, or shave, madam?—The Sketch.

—Simple—"Mighty oracle," cried Cleopatra, "can you tell me how I can secure everything I want?" "Sure, Mike," replied the oracle. "Just quit wanting so much."—Kansas City Times.

—Pearl—"It states in the first chapter of this novel that the hero hailed his sweetheart.' Ruby—"The idea." Pearl—"And the next moment he began to rain kisses." Ruby—"Well! Well! And did that end the storm?" Pearl—No, the next minute her father came out and then there were heavy squalls. That novel must have been writen by the weather man."—Chicago News.

—Florence Times: E. D. Smith, A. H. Gasque, C. and A. Hugh Hines went fishing near Effingham yesterday, where a creek runs into Lynche's river. They had fine sport and caught 108 of the finest red breasts in the country. Fishing down there is done with the hands. All you have to do is to fell under the logs and in the stump holes and pull out the fish. It is characteristic of the red breasts, we are told, not to leave their hiding place. They stick so close to it that one can literally pick them out of the water with the hands. These gentlemen had fine fun. They caught some shad, but they were poor, except one, and were put back into the water. One snake was killed. The only bad thing about fishing this way is the fact that there are some snakes under the logs, and if by chance the fisher gets his hands on a moccasin there is generally something doing. Mr. Johnson, who lives in that section, interviewed a snake the other day in some trash where red breasts were hiding, and now he has a game finger.

—Roanoke, Va., June 22.—A white man aged 40 years and giving his name as W. N. Kenway and claiming to be from the country near Greensboro, N. C., was taken in charge by the police here today and locked up to await information from his friends in North Carolina. Kenway was found at the Norfolk and Western passenger station acting in a queer manner. He told the officers he was weak-minded and there are indications that he is. When searched $123 was found on his person. He said he recently had a fight with a man named John Joe near Greensboro and that he cut Joe with a knife. After the difficulty he asserts he disposed of his belongings, pocketed the cash and started for Roanoke. The police do not believe Kenway is wanted for any crime but fear he is not mentally fit to take care of himself and his money.

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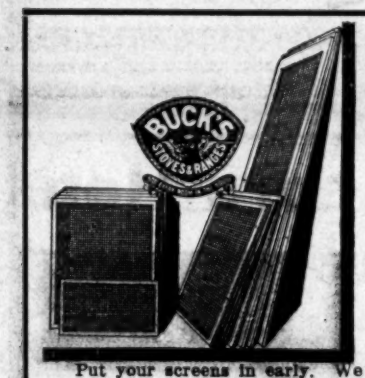

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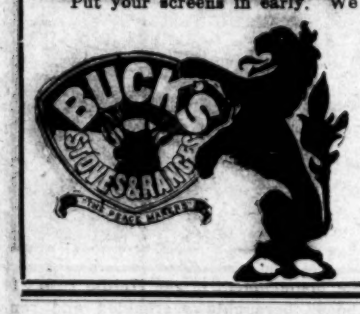

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They called him the "Black Death," and they had good cause to. If there was ever a fiend in human form it was Ramirez, the Spaniard. He had come ashore on the coast of Chile with the wreck of a Spanish vessel, and within a fortnight he had committed robbery and murder and had been obliged to flee to the mountains. There he got a little band together and killed and robbed as a trade. After the officers of the law had failed to kill or capture the man he was pursued by the soldiers and finally driven into Peru.

When the war broke out there were hundreds of adventurers who would have gladly joined Ramirez, but after increasing his band to a hundred he would take no more.

Up among the mountains, just over the Peruvian line, the American Mining and Smelting company had been developing the Humboldt silver mine. It was a rich mine and had paid a goodly sum for its concession. Ramirez had come within five miles of it on two or three occasions before the war, but had then hesitated and turned back. It was guarded by over a hundred government troops, and the peons who did the mining had been armed by the company. The war called the troops away. It was then that the peons were drilled and told that they must defend themselves. They entered into the spirit of the thing for the next two weeks, but then an event happened that caused all but about twenty of them to desert. Ramirez paid a visit to the mine in person. He appeared one afternoon unaccompanied. He was dressed in a white duck suit, carried a cane and wore a new sombrero, and the manager at first took him for some prosperous resident of the valley. The "Black Death" entered the office as any gentleman would, and, taking the proffered chair, he quietly said:

"I am Ramirez. You may possibly have heard of me."

"Not Ramirez, the—the bandit!" exclaimed the manager.

"The same, if you wish to apply the term. I have called on a little matter of business. I have not hitherto disturbed you because you are Americans and are taking no part in this war, but I am now in want of money. I have assessed you at $20,000 in gold."

"But, my dear sir"— began the astonished manager.

"There are no buts with Ramirez, sir. I want $20,000 in gold, packed on a mule, without unnecessary delay."

The manager's first feeling of awe and fear fled away as he looked at the man before him. Clean shaved and well dressed, the dread Spaniard did not look ferocious or formidable. His eyes and mouth betrayed inherent cruelty, but here he was all alone, and the manager had 300 men at his back. The fellow seemed to know what was passing in the other's mind, for presently he laughed in a sneering way and said:

"Go ahead and try it if you wish."

"I shall not pay you the money," was the firm reply.

"Ah, I see! You will depend upon your peons. Very well. Let us make one single experiment. You there! I want you in the office a moment."

It was summer time, and the windows were open. He had called to half a dozen men outside who were moving a piece of machinery. They came into the office and stood with their hats in their hands while he looked them over with a grim smile and queried:

"Did any of you ever see Ramirez?"

"Holy mother, but you are the man!" shouted one as he turned and fled, followed by his companions, spreading the news as they fled.

"You see," said the "Black Death" as he turned to the manager, "your ransom is now $30,000."

"I'll never pay a cent of it, never! I ought to have you arrested as you stand."

"Just as you will. You refuse to pay. Take the results."

With that he turned on his heel and walked out of the office and lingered for a couple of minutes that the men might see him and be duly impressed. That evening there were only fifteen men out of 300 left at the mine. The rest had run away with the fear of death upon them. The fifteen labored all night with pick and spade. It was only at noon the next day that their labors were completed. Then the only approach to the mine had been trenched and mined and electric wires carried into the office building. Ramirez had threatened there would be results. The manager was ready to face them. That day went by without alarm. So did the two following. Ramirez had twenty-five miles to go and return. He had to call in his raiding parties and fit them out.

At 11 o'clock on the morning of the fourth day he appeared at the head of his hundred men. They lost no time in forming up. Ten minutes after the first man had been seen the whole band uttered a blood curdling yell and dashed forward at the building. Ramirez had been told that the peons had deserted, but he knew nothing of dynamite and electricity. The manager sat with his finger on the button, and when an engineer told him that the second had arrived he gave a push. The building rocked and the mountain trembled, and for the next quarter of an hour a great cloud of dust hung over the spot. Then the men went out. They found the earth torn and rent and fissured, and they found hundreds of fragments of human bodies, but they found no living bandit. Ramirez and his band had been wiped off the face of the earth by electricity and dynamite.

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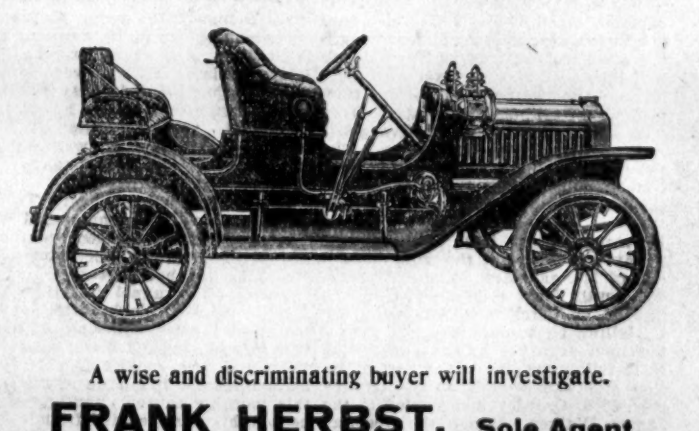

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Wilmington, N. C., June 24, 1908.

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Temperature at 8 A. M. 74 degrees; 8 P. M. 79 degrees; maximum 87 degrees; minimum 69 degrees; mean 78 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, trace; rainfall for the month 3.31.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Tuesday at 8 A. M. 5.5 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Wednesday; Thursday showers with cooler in the interior, variable winds.

Port Calendar—June 24.

Sun Rises.....4:43 A. M.
Sun Sets .....7:19 P. M.
Day's Length.....14 hrs. 36 min.
High water at Southport 5:07 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 7:37 P. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. L. H. Platt, of Asheville, spent yesterday in the city.

—Mr. R. W. Fowler, of Kinston, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. W. M. Autry, of Autryville, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

—Mr. W. W. Miller, of Rocky Point, was here yesterday on a short business trip.

—Misses Sue Boon and Lydia Yates are spending a few weeks in Knoxville, Tenn., attending Summer school.

—Dr. and Mrs. F. U. Lake and two attractive daughters, Misses Ethel and Elizabeth, of Florence, S. C., arrived in the city yesterday on their way to Wrightsville Beach.

INTERESTING AUTO TRIP.

Wilmington Party Makes 165 Miles in Part of Two Days.

Messrs. Walter Sprunt, Raymond Humphreys and W. L. Moore returned yesterday from an interesting and thoroughly delightful automobile tour, covering an entire mileage of 165 in a part of two days. Mr. Sprunt, owner of the car, drove, and they left Wilmington at 5:30 o'clock Monday morning, reaching Warsaw at 1:30 o'clock the same afternoon. Later in the afternoon the party proceeded to Clinton, the mileage for the day being 90. The return trip on Tuesday was made in a little over seven hours. Parts of the roads were pretty fair, but some very deep sand and some water was encountered. The machine used was a 40-horse-power Maxwell touring car and it behaved nicely during the trip, stalling only three times, once in mud up to the hubs and twice in rough, sandy roads. The delays were from one-half to one hour each time, but no outside assistance was rendered, repeated attempts with the resources at hand usually being successful. The trip was a most interesting one for the party from start to finish.

DELIGHTFUL LAUNCH PARTY.

Happy Outing Complimentary to Miss Allen, of Savannah,

A delightful launch party was tendered in honor of Miss Allen, of Savannah, Ga., the attractive guest of her brother, Mr. G. S. Allen, No. 13 North Sixth street, yesterday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. James S. Williams. The party consisting of about fourteen, spent the afternoon on the Cape Fear and Brunswick rivers and the outing proved very entertaining and congenial, several hours being devoted to the pleasures of the afternoon the party returning shortly after 6 o'clock. Dainty refreshments were served during the afternoon.

Revivals at Second Advent Church.

The series of revival services at the Advent Christian Church, Sixth and Church streets, continue to grow in interest and Evangelist Kelley is being heard by large congregations. Although a heavy shower came over just at the hour for service Monday night, the church was well filled with people. At the close of the service one was added to the church as a candidate for baptism. A number of others are also awaiting baptism, which will take place in the river next Sunday. Announcement as to the time and place will be made later. This will be the last week of Evangelist Kelley's sojourn in Wilmington. The meetings are held each evening at 8 o'clock and all are cordially invited to hear him.

Raymond Murrell Hurt at Beach.

Raymond Murrell, the nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Murrell, 709 South Front street, was painfully injured at Carolina Beach yesterday, by falling on a piece of glass, resulting in a deep cut on the knee. The little fellow was given the best attention and was brought to the city by Rev. J. S. Crowley and carried to the James Walker Memorial Hospital, where he will likely be confined for some time. The glass severed a joint in the knee and it is probable that permanent stiffness of the joint will result. He went to the Beach on the Immanuel Presbyterian Church excursion.

Mr. Moreland Bank Examiner.

The many Wilmington friends of Mr. Andrew Moreland will learn with interest his recent appointment as a bank examiner for the State of New York. Mr. Moreland was the successful candidate out of the ninety-seven who tried for the position. During the days of the late panic, Mr. Moreland was appointed an emergency examiner of the New York banks and after standing the rigid examination last March his appointment was soon afterwards made permanent.

Wanted—Experienced salesladies at Rehder's. Apply at office 617 North Fourth, between the hours of 10 and 12 Thursday. **

LOCAL DOTS.

—The many friends of Mr. L. R. Mason will regret to learn that he is quite ill at his home on Middle Sound.

—N. A. Edwards, on the charge of disorderly conduct, failed to appear in police court yesterday and his bond of $25 was forfeited.

—Services this evening at 8:15 o'clock, at the First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner Market and Seventeenth streets. All are invited.

—A marriage license was issued yesterday to Mr. Joseph N. Yates and Miss Annie Nora Day, daughter of Mrs. Julia Flannagan. The parties are both residents of this city.

—Son Cannady, colored, was tried by Justice Sykes yesterday on the charge of assault and battery and disorderly conduct. The defendant was allowed to go after the payment of the costs in the two actions.

—Mr. C. Walters, of Fair Bluff, encloses the Star two cotton blooms and two bolls pretty well on toward maturity. He reports that they had the first bloom in the Fair Bluff section on June 16th. The fields are now well filled with white and red blossoms and the crop prospect is very bright.

—Two deeds recorded yesterday were as follows: Ada C. Ward to R. L. Burton and wife, house and lot on Fourth street between Brunswick and Bladen; lot 33x132 feet, for consideration of $3,000. Bettie Lewis to Rebecca McCoy, lot on Seventh street, south of Dawson, 33x165 feet, for $10 and other valuable consideration.

DELEGATES TO CHARLOTTE.

Four Extra Coaches Attached to Regular Seaboard Train Yesterday.

Four extra coaches were attached to the early morning Seaboard Air Line train which pulled out from under the shed of the Front street station exactly on time at 4:50 A. M. yesterday, bound for Charlotte, the convention city. The extra accommodations were, for the large number of delegates bound to Charlotte from the various counties along the line and the train is reported to have been well filled when it reached its destination about noon yesterday.

About twenty passengers boarded the train here for Charlotte, these composnig largely the New Hanover and Brunswick delegations. The personnel of the New Hanover delegation has already been given. In the party from Brunswick are Mayor M. C. Guthrie, of Southport; Capt. L. J. Pepper, ex-Sheriff Peter Rourk, Messrs. John C. Mintz, Howard C. Curtis, Preston Swain, L. C. Tripp, Samuel Hewitt and J. D. Galloway. County Chairman Geo. H. Bellamy went via Raleigh the afternoon before. There will be a contest before the credentials committee from Brunswick and the delegates named above represent both factions. The regular county convention endorsed for Horne unanimously, but friends of the other candidates withdrew and held another convention, appointing delegates to represent all the candidates. This will all be threshed out before the balloting begins Wednesday night or Thursday morning. This contest is expected to be one of the most interested and spirited before the convention.

Fayetteville, N. C., June 23.—The Cumberland delegation to the State convention left here today for Charlotte via Pembroke. The crowd filled a special car attached to the Columbia train and was very enthusiastic. The advance guard left yesterday afternoon, consisting of Major E. J. Hale, Mr. John Underwood, Dr. H. W. Lilly, Messrs. M. McI. Matthews and J. B. Underwood. The delegation altogether numbers some 50 or more. The interest here in the Governorship contest is intense.

SUFFERING WITH LOCKJAW

A. F. Trunnel in Serious Condition at James Walker Memorial Hospital

A. F. Trunnel, for some time employed in the Atlantic Coast Line car shops, lies in a serious condition at the James Walker Memorial Hospital suffering with lockjaw and reports from the hospital last night indicate little hope for his recovery. His dangerous condition results from wounds received in an altercation, while attending the carnival Tuesday night of last week. He was severely cut across the face by an unknown person believed to be a member of the carnival company. However, his wounds for the first few days were not considered of a serious nature, but it later developed that he was more seriously injured and Monday afternoon he was carried to the hospital for treatment. An examination by physicians revealed that he was suffering from lockjaw and his condition continued to grow worse.

It is understood that Mr. Trunnel formerly lived in Southport and while a resident of this city had been boarding at Mrs. J. T. McCumber's, of No. 315 Campbell street.

Later—Mr. Trunnel died this morning at 12:45 o'clock, after several hours of intense suffering. He was 33 years of age and is survived by a wife and two children, who reside at Southport. The news of his death this morning caused unmitigated sadness to his relatives and friends. For some time he has been a member of a local lodge of Red Men and was well known and highly respected. The authorities have not been able to ascertain by whom the young man was cut.

Home From Convention.

Collector of Customs B. F. Keith returned Monday night from Chicago, where he attended the Republican National Convention, as a delegate from this State. He reports a very pleasant trip and is enthusiastic in his approval of the action of the convention in the selection of a presidential nominee. In discussion various features of the convention, which attracted so much attention last week, Mr. Keith made special reference to the forty-five minute demonstration by the ardent supporters of President Roosevelt and his suggested third-term possibility.

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EVE OF CONVENTION

(Continued from first page.)

yesterday, among them Mr. W. P. Wood, of Randolph, and Geo. H. Bellamy, of Brunswick, who are running for the nomination for Lieutenant Governor; E. F. McRae, of Robeson, and T. B. Parker, of Wake, who would be Commissioner of Agriculture; M. L. Shipman, of Henderson, for Commissioner of Labor and Printing; F. D. Hackett, of Wilkes, for State Auditor; W. P. Roberts, of Gates, secretary of State, and B. F. Aycock, of Wayne, Corporation Commissioner. Every one of them is busy.

Charlotte people joined with the visitors tonight and romped about the town, having a grand, hilarious time. A number of the good women of the city called at the hotels to see the candidates and shake their hands. Quite a party called at the Selwyn and yelled "Three cheers for Kitchin" and made the eloquent man from the East come out and make a polite bow. For hours the streets teemed with all sorts and conditions of men. Many badges and flags made the night glorious.

There are several dark horses in the woods near the city. Hitched close up and neighing like a banker pony is Col. John S. Cunningham, of Person, and his spokesman is Buck Guthrie, of Durham.

The doughty Colonel, once known as the largest tobacco grower in the world, is restive under leash. He would rather be up in the running neck and neck with the colts of the first flight, but Mr. Guthrie is holding him back. If during the thick of the fight in the convention a wild snort, half bray and half neigh is heard, no one need start for it will be nothing more nor less than Col. John S. coming with halter straps dangling and mouth foaming. The Person county thoroughbred is a corker when he starts down the pike.

Major Charles M. Stedman, of Guilford, Mr. T. W. Mason, of Northampton, and R. A. Doughton, of Alleghany, are seriously spoken of in the event of a deadlock. But it is the general impression that one of the men now in the race will be nominated. There is very little disposition to lug in a new candidate. However, if a long deadlock should come, one of the gentlemen mentioned in the foregoing paragraph might be presented to the convention at the opportune moment.

DIED AT HARRISON CREEK

Mrs. Callie E. Westbrook Passed Away at Ripe Old Age Yesterday.

Friends were grieved to learn yesterday of the death of Mrs. Callie E. Westbrook, widow of the late Joseph T. Westbrook, which occurred at her home at Harrison Creek, Pender county, at 2:30 o'clock yesterday. She was born November 4th 1831, having arrived at the ripe old age of 76 years when she passed from life unto death. She had lived the life of a true Christian, having been a member of Topsail Presbyterian Church for forty years or more, and was universally beloved by all who knew her. She will be sadly missed in the community in which she had lived so long. Mrs. Westbrook was a daughter of the late James Smith, who resided near Burgaw, in Pender county, and leaves to mourn their loss two sons, Messrs. J. S. and David O. Westbrook, of Wilmington, and three daughters, Mrs. James A. McIntire, of this city, Mrs. D. L. Futch and Miss Mamie S. Westbrook, of Harrison Creek.

The funeral will be held at the old homestead this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and the interment will be made in the family cemetery. Members of the family in this city will be present to attend the obsequies and have the tenderest sympathy of many friends here and elesewhere in their deep sorrow.

REV. FRED N. DAY

Meetings at Brooklyn Baptist Church This Week Singularly Blessed.

Rev. Fred N. Day, who is assisting the pastor, Rev. C. F. Whitlock, with a series of revival services this week at Brooklyn Baptist Church, is practical, interesting, earnest, scriptural and spiritual, according to all who have seen and heard him. The singer who accompanies him is a master in his line and no more accomplished gospel singer has ever been heard in Wilmington. Professor Eatman is not only a singer of ability, but a man of fine literary attainments and learning. For several years he was a professor in Wake Forest College and has since completed a course in Columbia University. He is now employed as professor in one of the leading colleges of New York. He sings in the Brick Presbyterian Church of New York and is a member of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church, of that city. It is possible to have him here at this time on account of his being at Oxford, ... C., on his vacation. The interest in the meetings is increasing with every service. All are welcome to the services each evening at 8:15 o'clock.

THE NEWS IN RALEIGH.

Governor Glenn Not to Attend Convention—The Silver Service.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 23.—Several prominent North Carolinians are disappointed that they cannot be present at the presentation of the silver service to the cruiser North Carolina off Lookout July 4th, as they will be on their way to the Denver convention at that time.

Governor Glenn has decided not to attend the Charlotte convention tomorrow but will remain in the executive office, confident that he will be sent as one of the delegates to Denver where he will avail himself of the opportunity of making one of the seconding speeches for William J. Bryan.

The Seaboard Air Line special to Charlotte left at 11:30 o'clock this morning, carrying a large party of delegates from this and other counties. No one can attempt to say who will be nominated.

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JUDGMENTS AGAINST SHEEK

Two Civil Actions Heard In Justice Borneman's Court Yesterday.

Two more civil actions were instituted yesterday against C. F. Sheek, proprietor of the Cape Fear Distilling Company, whose saloon on Market street was closed last week on complaint of Sol Bear & Co., these actions being brought by the Robert Portner and Home Brewing companies, amounting to an aggregate of $176. At the time Sheek's place of business was closed, attachment papers were served and it was alleged he had concealed himself from the reach of the officers in order to defraud his creditors.

The judgments pending a sale of the property amount to $355.52, and unless the accounts are settled before July 19th the property will be sold to satisfy the claims. There will probably be some settlement in the matter before the date for the sale.

CRYSTAL PALACE BILL

No Further Matinees Until Saturday. The Bullocks Pleasing.

After yesterday the management of the Crystal Palace has decided to eliminate the matinee offerings at this popular theatre until Saturday afternoon but the evening performances will be given as usual. The Bullocks are the vaudeville stars of the first magnitude and they are pleasing the large audiences which greet them each evening. Manager Marx S. Nathan accounts himself exceedingly fortunate in being able to offer this bill to the Wilmington public. Singing and dancing, monologue specialties and the like go towards making up and evening of rare pleasure for all who attend this popular little theatre.

THE BODY RECOVERED.

Remains of Young Mr. John Spicer Bryan Found Yesterday Morning.

A telegram to the Star yesterday morning from Albemarle, N. C., states that the body of Mr. John Spicer Bryan, who was drowned with a companion while bathing in the Yadkin river Sunday afternoon, had been recovered. No particulars of the finding of the body was contained in the early dispatch. Judge Bryan, his brother, and Mrs. Bryan expected to arrive at Albemarle early yesterday afternoon and will make arrangements for the bringing of the remains to Warsaw, the old family home, for interment.

Juniors' Excursion.

Jeff Davis and George Washington councils, Jr. O. U. A. M., have decided to run an excursion to Carolina Beach on July 4th and it promises to be a delightful outing. The excursionists as usual will be conveyed to the beach on the Wilmington, which will be chartered for the occasion. It is probable that before the date for the outing the Juniors will arrange a programme and the exercises will be a pleasant feature of the day.

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THE VERDICT OF EXPERTS.

"Marion Harland," Mrs. Janet M. Hill, and Mrs. Sarah Tyson Rorer, are three cooking authorities whose names are familiar to almost every housewife. Each has her own distinctive methods of work, but it is interesting to note that on the all-important question of a cooking fat, they are unanimous in recommending COTTOLENE.

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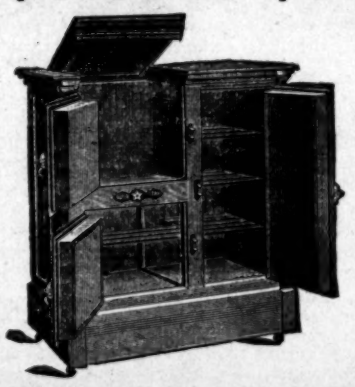

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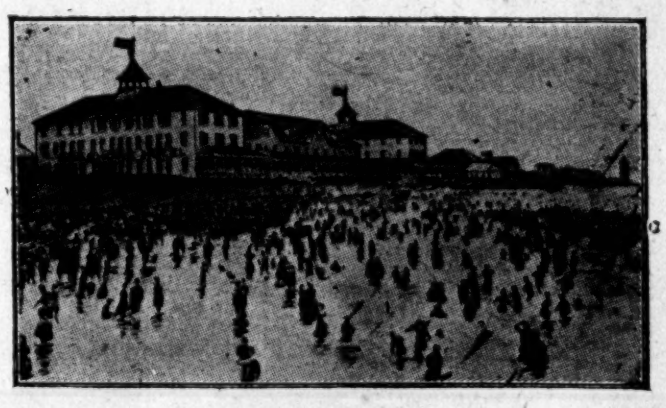

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American League.

At Boston 3; Washington 2.
At Philadelphia 9; New York 6.
At Detroit 6; Chicago 1.
At Cleveland 3; St. Louis 5.

National League.

At Pittsburg 3; Cincinnati 0. Second game, Pittsburg 3; Cincinnati 7.
At Brooklyn 2; Philadelphia 3.
At New York 6; Boston 3; Second game New York 7; Boston 9.

Southern League.

At Atlanta 1; Nashville 5; Second game Atlanta 4; Nashville 1.
At Little Rock 2; Mobile 8.
At Memphis 3; New Orleans 2.
At Birmingham 4; Montgomery 4 (9 innings, called account darkness.)

South Atlantic League.

At Augusta-Columbia, rain.
At Charleston 0; Jacksonville 2.
At Macon 1; Savannah 4.

Virginia League.

At Norfolk 3; Lynchburg 4.
At Portsmouth 4; Roanoke 1.
At Danville 4; Richmond 2.

Carolina League.

At Greensboro 2; Anderson 1.
At Charlotte 0; Greenville 1; (11 innings.)
At Winston-Salem, 1; Spartanburg, 4

College Baseball.

Yale 3; Harvard 0.

REPRESENTATIVES RETIRE

Those at Caracas Awaiting Transportation to United States.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Caracas, June 22.—via Willemstad, June 23.—The members of the American legation are awaiting the arrival of the United States gunboat Masetta at Porto Sabello, the warship having been ordered there for the purpose of transferring them to the United States. Jacob Sleeper, who has been acting as charge d'affairs, since the departure of the American minister W. W. Russell, and Lieutenant Francis A. Ruggles, the military attache, withdrew from the legation at Caracas on Saturday and proceeded to Porto Cabello. The interests of the United States were placed in charge of the Brazilian legation as the representative of the European nations are having considerable friction with President Castro's government.

Washington, June 23.—The State Department today received official notification of the departure of Jacob Sleeper, Secretary of the American Legation at Caracas, Venezuela. Mr. Sleeper's departure leaves the United States without diplomatic representation in the South American Republic.

For the past three years, since questions between the United States and Venezuela first arose, Minister Russell has been unable to get any information from the Venezuelan Government. It is understood that the relations between the United States and Venezuela are the outcome principally of American claims against that country growing out of the cancellation by the Government of that country of various concessions to American corporations and individuals, notably the asphalt claim and the Critchfield claim and that of the Orinoco Steam Navigation Company, the Jauret claim and several others which have been the subject of report to Congress by the President.

Our government has endeavored to obtain a settlement of these claims by arbitration, but has met with refusal at every point. Recent developments growing out of the outbreak of bubonic plague in Venezuelan ports and the disregard by Venezuela of treaty obligations to enforce sanitary regulations claculated to prevent the spread of the terrible disease to the North American Continent have undobtedly caused the present rupture.

INTENSE HEAT IN THE WEST.

Several Deaths and Many Prostrations in the Cities.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, June 23.—Twelve deaths due to heat prostrations or allied causes were recorded in Chicago today. The thermometer again climbed above the 90 mark, but late this afternoon a shift in the wind brought relief and it is believed that the torrid wave has been broken in that section.

Pittsburg, June 23.—Intense suffering and five prostrations, two of which may result fatally, marked the hottest day on record here for two years. The official thermometer registered 91 degrees this afternoon.

Cleveland, O., June 23.—With the thermometer registering 92 degrees this afternoon Cleveland suffered the hottest June day on record since 1874, when the mark was 96. Mrs. Amelia Schwab dropped dead, a victim of the heat, and prostrations were reported from various parts of the city. People fell in the streets and were taken to hospitals in ambulances. From all parts of the State dispatches told of high temperatures and consequent mortality.

BREAKS THE RECORD.

The High Speed Made by the Salem in Her Tests.

Rockland, Me., June 23.—A new record for vessels of her class was established by the new cruiser Salem today when she made a run of the measured mile course for her screw standardization test. The best previous record was 26.07 knots, made by the Salem's sister ship, the Chester. The Salem's average speed for her five best runs was 25 95 knots as compared with 25.1 by the Chester. The Salem was built by the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, of Quincy, Mass., and is fitted with the American style of turbine engines, while the Chester has the English type of turbine and the Birmingham, a sister ship to these and which made a lower rate of speed than either in her official trials, has reciprocating engines. The Salem was sent over the course twenty times today, her record time being made on the ninth run. It was ascertained that 348 revolutions of the propeller per minute were necessary to attain the contract speed of 24 knots an hour.

DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL TICKET

Discussion Among Leaders Now in Denver—Johnson's Friends.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Denver, Colo., June 23—Even among the few Democrats of prominence who have come to Denver to attend the Democratic convention, which will be held in this city beginning two weeks from today, the choice of a candidate for President is the leading theme, and it is already evident in this respect at least that the convention will be a counterpart of the Republican convention at Chicago.

As a choice among candidates for Vice President Governor Johnson has a decided lead. Little attention is paid to the announcement that he is not a candidate and would not accept. Those who favor him say that while he has been successful in Minnesota he has not won such place in his party that he could afford to decline a nomination for second place on a Democratic National ticket. They contend that he is the one available man who would properly supplement Mr. Bryan's candidacy; say that he has been put forward as the candidate for the Presidency by Eastern Democrats and urge that those Democrats would support him just as strenuously for Vice Pre ident and declare they "must have him."

The favoritism toward the Minnesota man for second place does not contemplate the possibility of Mr. Bryan's failure, but even in face of instructions there are some who contend that the Nebraskan cannot win on the first ballot and that therefore the Minnesotan has a fighting chance. This contention is evidently made, however, in the hope that there may be a contest worthy of the name and by those who would like to see the convention prolonged.

The friends of Governor Johnson say that, regardless of the prospects, their candidate will be placed in nomination for the first position, and as a rule they refuse to discuss the possibility of his being named for Vice President.

Theodore A. Bell, former Democratic candidate for Governor of California, is receiving conspicuous mention in connection with the position of temporary chairman of the convention. His most formidable rival is Congressman Clayton, of Alabama. Some members of the national committee suggest that the ambitions of both may be gratified by making one of the aspirants temporary chairman and the other permanent chairman.

GEORGIA AGAINST BRYAN.

Her Delegates Oppose Him and Adopt the Unit Rule.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Atlanta, Ga., June 23.—At a meeting of the Georgia delegates to the Democratic National convention at Denver this afternoon it was decided to apply the unit rule to the delegation. It became apparent at the meeting that practically the entire delegation was opposed to the candidacy of William J. Bryan and that Georgia's vote would be cast for some other candidate.

Clark Howell, of Atlanta, was elected National Committeeman and Albert H. Cox, of Fulton, was chosen Georgia member of the platform committee and Thomas W. Loyless, of Augusta, member of the credential committee of the National convention.

GOVERNOR GLENN CHOSEN

He Will Make First Seconding Speech For Mr. Bryan.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Lincoln, Neb. June 23.—"Governor Glenn, of North Carolina, has been selected to make the first seconding speech for Mr. Bryan in the Denver convention" was a statement made by William J. Bryan at Fairview tonight.

Mr. Bryan laso announced this evening that he would have a number of political callers tomorrow, but he did not care to say who they were prior to their arrival.

WARM WIRELETS.

W. B. Leeds, the American financier died suddenly at the Ritz Hotel, Paris, Tuesday. Mrs. Leeds was with him. He had been ill for some years. It is said that Mr. Leeds, who was at one time president of the Rock Island Railroad, leaves a fortune larger than generally was supposed. Intimate friends in Paris estimated his wealth at $35,000,000.

The official canvass of the vote of the second Florida Democratic primary will take place Thursday. Unofficial returns show that D. H. Mays, of Monticello, was nominated for Congress from the Third District by the narrow margin of 57. All of the delegates chosen to the National Convention at Denver, with the exception of one, are favorable to the nomination of Bryan for President.

The Ninth Congressional District Democratic Convention which met in Charlotte yesterday re-nominated by acclamation Congressman E. Yates Webb of Shelby. James A. Bell, of Charlotte and J. J. Redom of Madison were elected delegates to the National Democratic Convention and Ellis Gardner was elected elector at large. The matter of instructions did not come up.

The world's Centennial Temperance Congress closed at Saratoga, N. Y., yesterday with programmes in charge of the National Womans Christian Temperance Union. The speakers were from the Womans Christian Temperance Union, local Temperance Legion and Young Woman's Christian Temperance Union. The annual meeting of the Young People's Prohibition League was held in the morning.

He Got What He Needed.

"Nine years ago it looked as if my time had come," says Mr. C. Farthing of Mill Creek, Ind. Ter. "I was so run down that life hung on a very slender thread. It was then my druggist recommended Electric Bitters. I bought a bottle and I got what I needed—strength. I had one foot in the grave, but Electric Bitters put it back on the turf again, and I've been well ever since." Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c.

A SLUMP IN COTTON.

July Options Take a Tumble—Other Months Not Much Affected.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 23.—There was a sensational break in the price of cotton for July deliveries on the New York cotton exchange today. July and other old crop positions have been ruling relatively firm on reports that a strong New Orleans bull clique had a virtual corner in that position. After opening at 10.30 this morning July sold off to 9.63, or $6.40 per bale below the high level of last Friday. It was rumored that the New Orleans buyers had liquidated and that the remaining long interest was trying to avoid notices of delivery next Friday. New crop positions ruled relatively steady, being only 10 to 14 points lower when the old crop showed a net loss of 73 to 76 points. The market closed steady at a net decline of 5 to 46 points, July having rallied 30 points from the lowest on buying by large spot interests.

No Place For Him Here.

"Your honor," said a prosecuting attorney in a backwoods court, "the prisoner at the bar is charged with killing one of the most exemplary citizens of this county. Thomas Jones, your honor, was in every respect a model man. He was a member of the church; he was never known to bet on horses, play poker, drink whisky or use tobacco. He"—

"Hold on a minute," said the judge. "You say he never bet on a horse?"

"That's what I said, your honor."

"Never was known to play a game?"

"Never, your honor."

"And he never drank whisky?"

"Never drank a drop in his life."

"And he didn't chew tobacco?"

"Never took a chew in his life."

"Well, then," said the judge, "I don't see what he wanted to live for. There wasn't anything in life for him, and I don't see why he ain't about as well off dead as alive. Release the prisoner, Mr. Sheriff, and call the next case."—Nashville American.

A Too Busy Life.

The messenger from Mars surveyed the multitude which had gathered to meet him with undisguised interest. Nor did he hesitate to propound such inquiries as his curiosity prompted.

"Where do you all live?" he asked, speaking generally.

"I live in the future," said a young man good humoredly.

"And I in the past," said an old man.

"How odd! And does none of you live in the present?"

There was an awkward silence.

"Pardon me," said the Martian hastily; "perhaps I press my questions too closely."

At this a voice from the outskirts of the crowd spoke up, saying, "We have not yet learned to live in the present without interruption of business, don't you know."—Puck.

Natural Toothbrushes.

Natives of Somaliland have the whitest and best teeth of any people in the world, and the reason is not far to seek. Whenever they are idle they may be found rubbing their teeth with small pieces of wood—little twigs which are covered with a soft bark and which ravels out into bristles. This practice prevents the teeth decaying and of course keeps them in excellent condition. Just as one might pick a wild flower in the country so the Somali native picks his toothbrush. They are never without their small twigs. Toothbrushes as we know them are unknown in Somaliland. Their own methods are undoubtedly the healthiest and certainly the cheapest, and it is a matter for wonder that we do not take a leaf out of their book in this respect.—Dundee Advertiser.

A Man's Necktie.

Ever since a regiment of Croatian soldiers marched into Paris three centuries ago with their necks swathed in silk, and Louis XIV., delighted at their appearance, decided to adopt the fashion himself, the cravat in its various changing forms has played an important part in the attire of men. And so reliable is it supposed to be as an index to its wearer's personal characteristics that Buffon, the French savant, was once led to remark, "The cravat makes the man."

According to Hoyle.

Rev. Joseph Gravely (giving his views of the evils of card playing during a pastoral call)—As I was saying, I am in doubt— Parrot (interrupting eagerly)—When you are in doubt play trumps!

And no member of that family has been able to account for the parrot's utterance to the satisfaction of the pastor.—London Punch.

A Hard One.

Tommy—Say, mamma? Mamma—Well, what is it, Tommy? Tommy—How does a deaf and dumb boy say his prayers when he happens to have a sore finger? — Kansas City Independent.

Representative Hackett, was renominated by acclamation by the Eighth North Carolina Congressional District Democratic convention in Salisbury yesterday afternoon.

Death Was On His Heels.

Jesse P. Morris, of Skippers, Va., had a close call in the spring of 1906. He says: "An attack of pneumonia left me so weak and with such a fearful cough that my friends declared consumption had me, and death was on my heels. Then I was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It helped me immediately, and after taking two and a half bottles I was a well man again. I found out that New Discovery is the best remedy for cough and lung disease in all the world." Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

Bee Comb.

Bee comb or beeswax, the material of which the honey cells in the beehive are composed, is a wax produced by a system of chemistry carried on in the "wax pockets" which are located in the abdomen of all working bees. It is a peculiar substance and is said to be analogous to the fats of higher animals. Originally it was supposed that this wax was taken up in an almost pure state from the flowers by the bees, but experiments carried on by the leading botanists and chemists of the world conclusively prove that the bee is capable of elaborating his peculiar wax, although confined to a diet purely saccharin in its nature.

Loves Pretty Way.

Bullson—Whose pocketbook is that you are advertising for?

Jimson—My own, of course.

"Get out! 'Containing a roll of bank notes and a large number of checks. Finder can keep money if he will return papers.' Get out! You don't see a roll of bank notes or a check once a year."

"No, but Bertha Bullion's father takes the paper I advertised in, and he'll see that advertisement."

"Humph! Where did you get the money to pay for that big ad.?"

"Bertha lent it to me, bless the darling!"—London Answers.

He Explained.

The stranded automobilist was working over his car. Up came a sarcastic follower of the plow.

"How many horsepower is she?" he mirthfully inquired.

"Sixty," replied the automobilist.

"Then, by heck, why don't she go?"

"Because my friend, thirty are pulling each way."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Fearfully Foxy.

"I work a foxy scheme on my boy. He'd rather wash the dishes than wash his hands, so I let him wash the dishes."

"What's the foxy part?"

"Why, he gets his hands clean."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A Lucid Interval.

Doctor—Has your husband had any lucid intervals since I was here last?

"Well, this morning he kept shouting that you were an old fool, and he tried to break the medicine bottles."—Life.

A man should allow none but good impulses to stir his heart, and he should keep it free from any evil that may beat it down and harden it.—Rev. J. D. Hammond.

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STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to your Place of Business or Residence for Advertisements for our Business Locals Department. 'Phone the Star office, No. 51.

Rates—25 cents for each insertion of twenty-five words, or less. Additional words, more than twenty-five, one cent per word in advance.

The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co., or for Notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charges for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for Advertisements always call the Star office, 'Phone 51.

WANTED—To borrow $500 on good city real estate. Apply to D. Q., care Star. jun 24 1t

$25.00 REWARD for the arrest and delivery one yellow boy, 18 years of age, weight 135 pounds, height 5 feet, 4 inches, size of shoe No. 8. Coat, blue serge. Name, Henry Troy. Address D. J. Clark, Elizabethtown, N. C. jun 24 1w

STENOGRAPHER, six years experience, wants to supply place for a few weeks while regular stenographer is away on vacation. Address "BBB" care of Star office. jun 24 1t*

FOR SALE, MONDAY, JUNE 22ND—One lot of extra fine milch cows. This is a fine lot of milkers and must be sold at once. S. J. Davis, 208 and 210 Market street. jun 21 3t*

ANNOUNCEMENT—We beg to inform all users of machineries oils, and particularly automobiles oils, that we have made special arrangements with Mr. A. N. Dubois, the analytical chemist, office Worth Building, Wilmington, N. C., to show you our complete line of machineries and automibile oils, give you prices and take your orders. The quality of our oils is the very best and the price as low as can be made. A trial sample order will convince you. O. F. Zurn Co., manufacturers and wholesale dealers, office and works, Broad and Lehigh Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa. jun 21 1m

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

WANTED EMPLOYMENT—Bookkeeping, clerk, salesman or any employment, where the services of a young man having a high school education and a graduate of Draughon's Business College can be utilized, who means business and is not scared of work. Can furnish good references. Address "Employment" care of Star, Wilmington, N. C. ju 24-1t*

FOR SALE—Eight room dwelling, in first class condition, with all modern conveniences. Situated on Fifth street, near Nun. Apply to W. G. Whitehead, 'phone 229. jun 21 tf

FOR SALE—Two upright pianos, in fine shape. One good as new. One Angelus, organ attachment, at $65.00. Wellington piano best grade, at $90.00 at W. T. Mercer Company's Furniture Store, Market street. M. E. Whitehead, City. jun 21 1t.

FOR SALE—Property on Wooster street, 66x247, rents $25 per month—$2,500 will buy it. Lots on St. James' Square, $1,500 and $1,600. Lot on Ann street with one-story dwelling for $2,000. Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street, 'phone 766. ju 22-tf

WANTED—A position as stenographer by a young lady with good education and experience. Address "Stenographer," P. O. Box 137, City. ju 18-1w

THE RURAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, will open the Eighth Series on Saturday, June 6th, 1908. Shares worth $100.00 at maturity. If you desire to accumulate any money, you could not make a better investment. See either Mr. Oscar Pearsall president, or J. O. Reilly, Sec. & Treas. for further information. ju 3-tf

BOARDING—Permanent and Transient. Best location in city. Meals to suit the business men. Strictly up to date. Harnett House, 110 Princess St. Hot and cold baths. Phone No. 718 se 22-tf

MECHANICS' HOME ASSOCIATION, 108 Princess street, new series of B. and L. stock open now. How many shares do you want? N. B. New series open every year January and July. W. M. Cumming, secretary and treasurer; Walker Taylor president. ju 16-to-jul 16

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D. L. T. CAPPS is at the same old place "Candycapps," and is prepared to serve his same old trade and all others that may come. ju 13-tf

BOOKKEEPER WANTED—Beginning July 1st, for wholesale and retail merchant. Must have experience both as bookkeeper and typewriter. Address "S" care of Star. ju 20-3t

BRICK, BRICK, BRICK—The Cronly Brick Company is prepared to fill all orders for brick on short notice. Phone 84. Yards on Water, between Princess and Chesnut streets. may 19-tf

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VIA.

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Pullman service all the way.

Lv. Wilmington.....3:35 P. M.
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Lv. Columbia.....11:15 P. M.
Ar. Asheville.....7:10 A. M.

For further information, reservations, etc., Phone 160.

T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Jun 24-tf.

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For further information communicate with nearest Ticket Agent, or write

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

NEW SERIES OF STOCK.

The Clarendon Savings & Loan Association, will open its 33rd Series of Stock on Saturday the 4th day of July 1908. Stock can be had any day upon application to the Secretary and Treasurer. This association has matured fifteen series and the 16th will mature in August. Subscribe now in this old and reliable association.

S. P. COLLIER,
Secretary and Treasurer.
D. C. LOVE, President.
Office No. 17 Princess street.
jun 23-1m.

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and Consulting Engineer
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NEW SERIES

The Citizens' Building and Loan Association will issue a New Series of Stock on Friday, July 3rd, 1908.

The Association will be closed on Saturday, July 4th, being a legal holiday, and all payments due that day will be received on Friday, July 3rd, at usual hours.

JNO. D. BELLAMY, JR.
jun 23-28 jul 2. Secretary.

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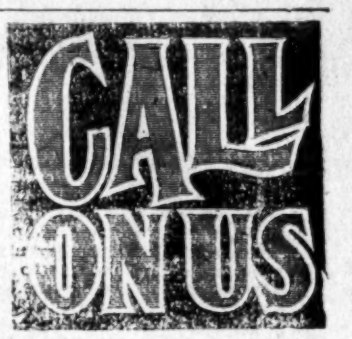

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MILTON CALDER, Cashier.
Southern Bldg. Opp. Postoffice.
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This bank offers no interest upon deposits, and holds out no inducements to the depositor that are not consistent with the most conservative and safe management.

Loans will be made at any time if the paper is unquestionably safe.

The Southern National Bank
OPPOSITE POSTOFFICE.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Kinston Free Press: For pure and unadulterated heat, Saturday was a record breaker. The official thermometer reached a maximum of 101 degrees, the minimum being but 68. Sunday was not quite so warm, maximum being but 98 degrees, with 67 degrees minimum.

—Rocky Mount Record: The shipment of Georgia peaches through this city to the northern market is continuing to improve each day and on Sunday a total of twenty four cars were iced at South Rocky Mount icing station of the California Fruit Trans. Co. The express shipments of this fruit are considerable and for the given season the consignments are far above the average.

—Newton, June 22.—Southern freight train No. 65 was wrecked this afternoon about one mile east of Newton. It had just passed over a high trestle when the trucks under the car just behind the tender broke, causing it to fall to the track, and the others nine in all, were thrown to both sides along and across the track. Passenger train No. 21 from Goldsboro has been delayed by the accident.

—Rocky Mount Record: The Southern Express Company is each day shipping from five to seven carloads of vegetables and truck to the northern market for the farmers along the Atlantic Coast Line from Goldsboro to Wilmington. So large and so constant have been these shipments that a special express train is run each day from Wilmington to South Rocky Mount as a second section to train 48. Here it connects with northbound train 80 putting the vegetables into the hands of the northern merchant the next monring. The truck at present consists to a large extent of huckleberries, blackberries, cucumbers and beans.

—Newbern Journal: Eernest Rose, a twelve year-old boy, who lives at No. 18 Eden street showed more pluck than many men, last Saturday night, when he ran off a burglar, who was attempting to get in the house. At about 10:30 the boy who lives with his widowed mother, heard a sound of some one at the rear of the house, apparently trying to get into the kitchen. He got his shot gun and ran around the house, leaving by the front door. Just as he got to the back yard he say a man some distance away, and he acted as if he was in a great hurry. The boy fired at him, but did not hit, at least not enough to hurt him. The man is thought to have been white.

—Asheville, June 22.—John Edward Hill, the 15-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hill, of West Haywood street, met death la t evening about 8 o'clock by drowning in a tub of water. It seems that the child, just able to toddle about, had been playing around its mother, near the rear portion of the house when it toddled out on the porch and out of sight of the watchful mother. Mrs. Hill at the time was reading a letter and in a few minutes completing the epistle went in search of the child. She was horrified upon going on the porch to find the little fellow with his head and shoulders in a tub of water that had been left on the porch. Dr. Anderson was quickly summoned and also Dr. Glenn, but the physicians responding promptly were unable to resuscitate the child.

—Charlotte Observer: Lost and very much wanted at McLaughlin's convict camp is Bob Alexander, a well known negro of the section with a bad reputation. Lost, also, and much desired, two valuable bloodhounds wh ch were sent after the escaped convict yesterday morning shortly after his escape became known. Thus is expressed in few words an occurrence, laughable and at the same time serious. And that is the last that has been seen of them One place the pursuing party found where the tracks of the hounds and the negro mingled. It is believed that the man was overtaken by them, seized the dilemma manfully by both horns, made friends with the dogs and persuaded them to accompany him, sharing with him his fortunes, good or ill.

—Kinston, N. C., June 22.—Charlie Wilson, a ten-year-old white boy, was drowned in Neuse river just below the city yesterday afternoon about four o'clock. With several boy friends young Wilson had gone down to the bend of the river where the old gunboat was sunk and went in swimming. Charlie was unable to swim and for a while contented himself with wading about the edge of the river. As he waded out towards the deeper water, his companions were horrified to see him disappear suddenly and before help could arrive he was drowned. The current is very swift at this place and the bed of the river treacherous, full of holes dropping from a depth of a few feet to ten and twenty feet in places. It has always been considered dangerous, several expert swimmers having lost their lives at the very identical spot. Expert swimmers dived down to the bottom and searched all the afternoon, but could not locate the body. Parties have since been busy dragging the river and dynamiting in an endeavor to bring it to the top, but thus far all efforts have proved in vain.

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By virtue of the power vested in me by a deed of assignment made by Nixon & Wirgman, I will sell to the highest bidder at public auction, for cash, on Wednesday, July 1st, 1908, at eleven o'clock A. M. at the building at the foot of Queen street in the City of Wilmington, formerly occupied by Nixon & Wirgman, as a barrel heading plant, all the machinery, fixtures, beltings and other property and appurtenances connected therewith. Sale to be for cash, but subject to the approval of the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover County.
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Schedule in Effect May 31st, 1908.

NOTICE.
The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv Wilmington	8:40 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 pm
Ar Rocky Mount	1:33 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	3:30 am
Ar Norfolk	6:05 pm	
Ar Wilson	1:00 m	10:52 pm
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:27 am
Ar Richmond	8:00 pm	6:10 am
Ar Washington	11:50 pm	9:50 am
Ar Baltimore	1:41 am	11:20 am
Ar Philadelphia	4:21 am	1:41 pm
Ar New York	7:23 am	4:13 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 45.
Lv New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar Philadelphia	11:37 am	12:15 am
Ar Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:51 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar Weldon	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar Wilson	11:47 pm	1:58 pm
Ar Goldsboro	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar Wilmington	9:30 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN ILMINGTON AND TH SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:25 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm	
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:15 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sa'n.	6:20 pm	2:10 am	9:54 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7 15 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		6:25 pm	11:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:25 am
Lv Jacksonville	9:10 am	7:45 pm
Ar Savannah	1:31 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:52 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:24 pm	8:55 am
Ar Wilmington	12:55 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:20 am	Ar 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv. 9:25 am

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R., for all points east.
Trains No. 55 and 50 carry Pullman Sleeper between Wilmington and Columbia.

T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager.

WEEK END RATES VIA SEABOARD.

The Seaboard announces May 30th until September 30 round-trip rates from Wilmington as follows:
From Wilmington to—

Jackson Springs, N. C.	$3.85
Lincolnton, N. C.	7.10
Shelby, N. C.	7.85
Rutherfordton, N. C.	8.65
Hickory, N. C.	7.95
Lenoir, N. C.	10.00
Blowing Rock	10.00
Chimney Rock, N. C.	10.00

Tickets to Jackson Spring sold for Saturday trains, good returning Monday; to Blowing Rock and Chimney Rock Friday and Saturday trains, good returning Tuesday. To other points for Friday and Saturday trains, good returning Monday following date of sale.
For further information apply to Ticket Agent, or,
C. H. GATTIS,
Traveling Passenger Agent,
ju 8-2m. Raleigh, N. C.

Read the Business Locals

TO THE BEACH

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In effect May 30th, 1908.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
6:30 A. M.	6:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
*6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4 00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.
* This train leaves from Front and Princess. Freight received from 5:40 to 6:00 A. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
8:30 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

11:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.

Freight depot open on Sundays.

10:00 A. M.	11:00 A. M.

Carolina Place, Delgado and Golf Links.

Leave Junction every 30 minutes from 6:45 A. M. to 10:15 P. M. Sundays 8:45 A. M. to 10:15 P. M. Leave Golf Links every 30 minutes from 7:00 A. M. to 10:30 P. M. Sundays 9:00 A. M. to 10:30 P. M.

Special Baseball Schedule.

On days when games are advertised cars will leave Junction for grounds every 10 minutes from 2:15 to 4:15 P. M. On these days beach trains leaving Junction at 2:30, 3:00, 3:30 and 4:00 P. M. will not stop at the Baseball Grounds.
City tickets and passes will be accepted for transportation on these cars. Seacoast passes good only on beach cars.
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Air Line Railway.

Schedule effective April 12th, 1908, Subject to change without notice.

Direct and shortest line to the principal Cities, South and Southwest, also connects at Hamlet with Vestibule Trains Norm.

Tickets for passage for all trains are sold by this Company and accepted by the passenger with the understanding that this Company will not be responsible for failure to run its trains on schedule time or for any such delays as may be incident to their operation. Care is exercised to give correct time of connecting lines but this Company is not responsible for errors or omissions.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington as Follows

No. 44 at 12:45 A. M. from Charlotte, Hamlet and local Stations.
No. 40 arrives 12:50 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, and all points North and South.

Trains Leave Wilmington as Follows

	No. 45	No. 39
Lv. Wilm't'n	4:50 A. M.	3:00 P. M.
Ar. Lumb't'n	7:26 A. M.	5:55 P. M.
Ar. Maxton	8:15 A. M.	6:49 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet	9:15 A. M.	7:50 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet	9:45 A. M.	8:25 P. M.
Ar. Monroe	11:40 A. M.	10:25 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte	12:35 P. M.	11:30 P. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points north. At Monroe with No. 53 for Atlanta.
No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth-Norfolk and No. 47 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.
For time-tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent or call Phone No. 1294.

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Raleigh, N. C.

SDHEDULE OF THE CAROLINA BEACH AND SOUTHPORT LINES

Steamer Wilmington leaves daily 9:00 A. M. for Southport and Carolina Beach and 2.30 P. M. for Carolina Beach, except Saturday and Sunday. Saturday leaves for Carolina Beach and Southport 2:00 P. M.; leaves Southport 7:00 A. M. and 4:45 P. M. Sundays leaves for Carolina Beach and Southport 9:00 A. M. and 2.30 P. M., and for the Beach 8:30 P. M. Last train leaving Beach 8:30 P. M. Fare on Sundays 25c Round Trip.
Steamer Southport leaves Wilmington for Southport daily at 10:00 A. M., leaves Southport for Wilmington 2:30 P. M.
ju 12-tf.

COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, June 23.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady 38 3-4.

ROSIN—Market, quiet $2.45 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Market, firm $1.50.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $2.00 per barrel for hard, $2.70 for dip and $3.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin, $4.07 1-2; tar firm $2.40; crude turpentine $3.50, $4.75, $5.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	66
Rosin	244
Tar	23
Crude Turpentine	72

Receipts—Same day last year, 17 casks spirits turpentine; 129 barrels rosin; 46 barrels tar; 31 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 11 5-8 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Nominal, 11 7-8 cents for middling.

Receipts—738 bales, same day last year 6.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime 65c; extra prime 70c; fancy 75c per bushel of 28 lbs; Virginia—No. 1, 70c; fancy 75@80c; Spanish 75@85c.

CORN—Firm, 86c per bushel for white; 92 1-2@95 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, new 13@14c; shoulders 11@12 1-2c; sides dull, 11@12 1-2c.

EGGS—Firm and in good demand at 17@18c.

CHICKENS—Dull at 15@30c for large springs; grown, firm, 35@40c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 8c; green 4c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

COW PEAS—$1.90@$2.00 per bushel.

WOOL—Free of burr, 15c; burry wool, 10 to 12 1-2c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 23.—The cotton market was extremely nervous today and at times excited with the old crop months sensationally weak under what was thought to be liquidation by New Orleans bulls. The close was steady at a net decline of 5 to 6 points Sales estimated at 250,000 bales.

The opening was steady at a decline of 3 to 13 points, old crop months leading the break under liquidation while the new crop was relatively steady on covering in spite of bearish weather and crop news. During the early session fluctuations were very irregular but near months showed continued weakness and after midday July sold off to 963 and August to 954, or 73 to 76 points net lower. Brokers believed to be working for New Orleans people were heavy sellers on the decline, and some of the people that were selling the old crop appeared to be taking in short hedges in the new crop months this furnishing a partial explanation of their elativeness of the later positions. At the decline representing a loss of over $6 per bale from the high level of last Friday on July, some of the large spot cotton interests who had been sellers early turned buyers and near months recovered about 30 points of their loss. Old crop months at the close were 31 to 46 points lower, including September while October and later positions were 5 to 10 points net lower. It was believed that fear of a heavy early new crop movement and a desire to avoid notices next Friday, caused old crop liquidations while support at the decline was supposed to reflect the failure of Southern spot markets to fully meet the losses in contracts. Southern markets reported early were unchanged to 1-8c lower.

Receipts at the ports today were 8,326 bales against 10,720 last week and 5,973 last year. For the week 50,000 bales against 48,723 last week and 27,984 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 772 bales against 676 last year and at Houston 2,895 bales against 689 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 20 points lower; middling uplands 11.80; middling gulf 12.05; no sales. Futures opened and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	Close.
July	10.30	9.93
August	10.20	9.94
September	9.86	9.74
October	9.30	9.26
November		9.16
December	9.17	9.14
January	9.12	9.09
February	9.12	9.08
March	9.12-13	9.07

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Quiet, 11 3-4; Net receipts 4,215.

New Orleans—Quiet, 11 11-16; Net receipts 777.

Mobile—Steady, 11 3-8; Net receipts 222.

Savannah—Quiet, 11 1-2; Net receipts 1,129.

Charleston—Nominal.

Wilmington—Quiet, 11 1-2; Net receipts 738.

Norfolk—Quiet, 12.00; Net receipts 1,184.

Baltimore—Nominal 12 1-8.

New York—Quiet, 11.80.

Boston—Quiet,, 11.80; Net receipts 66.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 12.05.

Total today at all ports, Net 8,326; Great Britain 6,268; Continent 3,458; Stock 267,739.

Consolidated, at all ports. Net 22,466; Great Britain 6,718; France 1,783; Continent 10,141.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, Net 8,158,715; Great Britain 2,815,998; France 816,443; Continent 3,233,120; Japan 190,214; Mexico 1,549.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 11 9-16; Net receipts 2,895.

Augusta—Steady, 11 7-8; Net receipts 357.

Memphis—Steady, 11 3-4;; Net receipts 107.

St. Louis—Quiet, 11 3-4.

Cincinnati—Quiet; Net receipts 432.

Louisville—Firm, 12.

Little Rock—Steady, 11 3-8; Net receipts 176.

Total today—Net receipts 3,967; gross receipts 5,189; shipments 8,706; sales 1,272; stock 117,233.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, June 23.—Spot cotton quiet; prices 10 points lower; American middling fair 7.12; good middling 6.76; middling 6.48; low middling 6.10; good ordinary 5.52; ordinary 5.12.

The sales of the day were 6,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 5,000 American. Receipts 16,000 bales, including 8,000 American. Futures quiet and closed steady; American middling G O C: June 5.91; June and July 5.84 1-2; July and August 5.78; August and September 5.49; September and October 5.23; October and November 5.12 1-2; November and December 5.06; December and January 5.03; January and February 5.00; February and March 5.00; March and April 5.00.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 23.—The dry goods held fairly firm today although the drop in cotton and the quiet demand had some effect in dulling the edge of prices on heavy cotton goods. Sales of about 5,000 bales of light weight drills and sheetings have been made to China in the past week. The cotton yarns market holds firm under the influence of a slow improving general demand. Linings are in better call. The large carpet houses report very satisfactory sales of rugs. Staple cotton goods are being ordered steadily in small quantities by jobbers.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, June 23.—So far as they were mirrored in the securities market, events had no important bearing on values and prices moved sluggishly and hesitatingly today under the influence of professional operations. The market was one of typical summer dullness and the expectation of a continuance of this condition of affairs was shown in the readiness with which a motion was adopted to close the stock exchange on Friday, July 3, in order to prolong the Independence Day holiday from Thursday evening until the following Monday.

The acute pressure against the Rock Island securities which weakened the market yesterday subsided today and this was the most important element in the recovery which set in. This was interrupted by occasional set backs and by weakness in special stocks. Chesapeake & Ohio felt the effect of speculative liquidation of holdings acquired under the influence ling amounts of the stocks in the interest of a combination with another of rumors of an option on the control system. There were rather erratic fluctuations in Westinghouse Electric in view of the imminence of the decision and the fate of the company involved in the adoption of the reorganization plan. Trust companies are beginning the preparation to replenish their cash reserves up to the 10 per cent. level required by July 1st, and to this fact is attributed a slightly less urgency in offerings of funds to loan, which has caused the firmer tone in the money market in the last few days.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value $1,438,000. United States 2s declined 1-4 per cent. on call. Total sales stocks today were 385,000 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, June 23.—Money on call easy 1 to 1 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 1 1-2, offered at 1 1-2. Time loans dull and firm; sixty days 2 per cent., and ninety days 2 1-4 per cent, six months 3 1-2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3 to 3 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8695 for demand and at 4.8550 for sixty day bills. Commercial bills 4.85 1-8 to 4.85 1-4. Bar silver 55 5-8; Mexican dollars 47.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s eg	104 1-4
U. S. Refunding 2s cou	104 3-4
U. S. 3s reg.	101
U. S. 3s cou.	101
U. S. new 4s reg.	121 1-4
U. S. new 4s cou.	122 1-4
American Tobacco Co. 6s	105
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	91
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	98 5-8
L. & N. Unified 4s	99
Seaboard Air Line 4s	53 1-2
Southern Railway 5s	99 1-2
U. S. Steel 5s	96 1-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	65 1-4
American Car & Foundry	33 1-2
Amr. Car & Foundry pfd	96
Amr. Cotton Oil Co.	30 1-4
Amr. Locomotive	41 1-2
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd	99
Amr. Sugar Refining	123
Amr. Tobacco pfd	89
Atchison	79 7-8
Atchison pfd	93
Atlantic Coast Line	84 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	84
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	81@86
Chesapeake & Ohio	38
Erie	18 1-2
Erie 1st pfd	34
Erie 2nd pfd	22 1-2
Kansas City Southern	23
Kansas City Southern pfd	54
L. & N.	102 1-4
New York Central	100 7-8
Norfolk & Western	66 1-2
Pennsylvania	119 5-8
People's Gas	91
Reading	109 7-8
Rock Island Co.	15 3-4
Rock Island Co. pfd	30 1-2
Standard Oil	597
Southern Pacific	85 5-8
Southern Pacific pfd	119
Southern Railway	16 1-2
Southern Railway pfd	42
U. S. Steel	36 3-4
U. S. Steel pfd	100 3-4
Va.-Car. Chemical	22 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd	100 1-2
Seaboard Air Line	
Seaboard Air Line pfd	
Western Union	51

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, June 23.—Flour—Little more doing.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Corn Meal—Dull.

Wheat—Spot dull; No. 2 red 98 1-2. Options 1-2 to 5-8c net lower; July 94 5-8; September 92 3-8; December 94 1-4.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 78 1-2 nominal elevator. Options partly 1-4c lower. July 78 5-8; September 76 1-2; December 76.

Oats—Quiet; mixed 54 to 55.

Lard—Firm.

PORK—Firm.

Tallow—Quiet.

Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Dull.

Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 3.85; centrifugal 96 test 4.31; molasses sugar 3.56; stead for refined.

Coffee—Quiet No. 7, 6 1-4; Santos No. 4, 8 3-4. Mild dull; Cordova 9 3-4 to 12 1-2. Futures net unchanged to 5 points higher.

Cotton Seed Oil was more active with prices easy under liquidation. Prime crude 37 to 38; prime summer yellow 46 to 46 1-2; off summer yellow 40 to 46 1-2; good off summer yellow 40 to 46 1-2; prime white 46 to 50; prime winter yellow 46 to 49.

Freights and Peanuts unchanged.

Potatoes—Easier; New No. 1 per barrel 2.25 to 3.50; seconds and culls 1.00 to 1.75; sweets per basket 1.25.

Cabbages—Easy; Southern per crate 25 to 1.00m Southern red 1.00 to 1.25.

Butter—Easy; creamery specials 23 to 23 1-4; extras 22 1-2 to 22 3-4; third to first 19 to 22; state dairy, common to finest 19 to 22 1-2; process, common to specials 14 12 to 22; western factory first 19 1-2.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged.

Eggs—Firm; nearby fancy white 23; do good to choice 20 to 22; brown and mixed fancy 22; do good choice 20 to 21.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, June 23.—Excellent weather for harvesting in the Southwest had a depressing effect today on the local wheat market, the July delivery closing at a net loss of 5-8 to 3-4c. Corn was 5-8c lower. Oats were down 3-4 to 7-8c, and provisions were unchanged to 5c higher.

	Opening.	Highest.	Closing
Wheat—			
July	86 5-8	86 5-8	85 7-8
Spet	75 3-4	85 78	85 1-4
Dec. ol	87 1-8	87 3-8	86 3-4
Dec ne	87	87 1-4	86 1-2
Corn—			
July	69 7-8	69 7-8	69 1-4
Sept	70	70	69 5-8
Dec.	59 1-8	59 1-8	58 3-4
May	59	59	58 5-8
Oats—			
July ol	45 3-4	45 3-4	45 1-8
July ne	44	44 1-8	43 3-4
Sept	39 1-8	39 1-8	28 3-4
Dec	40	40	39 5-8
May	41 7-8	41 7-8	41 5-8
Mess Pork, per bbl.—			
July	14 50	14 60	14 55
Sept	14 80	14 85	14 80
Lard, per 100 lbs.—			
July	8 95	8 97 1-2	8 92 1-2
Sept	9 15	9 15	9 12 1-2
Oct.	9 20	9 20	9 20
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—			
July	8 12 1-2	8 17 1-2	8 15
Sept	8 40	8 40	8 40
Oct.	8 45	8 47 1-2	8 47 1-2

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, easy. No. 3 spring wheat 95 to 1.00. No. 2 corn 69 3-4@70 1-4; No. 2 yellow 72@72 1-2; No. 2 oats 52 1-4; No. 3 white 50 to 52. Fair to choice malting 60 to 63. Short ribs, sides (loose) 7.87 1-2 to 8.25. Mess pork, per bbl. 14.55 to 14.62 1-2. Lard per 100 lbs. 8.95. Short clear sides (boxed) 8.00 to 8.25. Whiskey, basis of high wines 1.35.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 23.—Rosin quiet; Turpentine steady.

Charleston, June 23.—Turpentine steady at 39 1-4. Rosin steady. Quote, A B C, 2.60; D, 2.95; E, 3.10.

Savannah, June 23.—Turpentine firm 39 1-2; sales 1,472; receipts 1,829; shipments 136. Rosin firm; sales 4,421; receipts 4,918; shipments 493; stock 951,671. Quote: ABC, 2.70; D, 3.05; E, 3.15 to 3.20; F, 3.25 to 3.30; G, 3.30 to 3.32 1-2; H, 3.80; I, 4.45; K, 5.55 to 5.65; M, 5.90 to 6.00; N, 6.25; WG, 6.40; WW, 6.45.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., June 23, 1908.

C. C. Railroad—1 cask spirits turpentine, 4 barrels rosin, 16 barrels tar, 11 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—257 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 7 barrels tar, 13 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—424 bales cotton, 8 casks spirits turpentine, 27 barrels rosin, 16 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—57 bales cotton, 8 casks spirits turpentine, 14 barrels rosin, 12 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—20 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Black River—4 casks spirits turpentine, 24 barrels rosin.

Virginia—5 casks spirits turpentine, 38 barrels rosin.

Schr. Royal—25 casks spirits turpentine, 99 barrels rosin.

Schr. Missouri—13 casks spirits turpentine, 38 barrels rosin.

Total—738 bales cotton, 66 casks spirits turpentine, 244 barrels rosin, 23 barrels tar, 72 barrels crude turpentine.

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HON. J. S. SHERMAN IN A HOSPITAL

His Attack Quite Severe But Not Considered at All Dangerous.

NO OPERATION NEEDED

Candidate for Vice President Suffering From Gall Stone—His Temperature High—Expects to be Out in Few Days—Telegram.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Cleveland, O., June 23.—Representatives James Sherman, Republican candidate for Vice President, was removed early today from the home of former Governor Herrick to Lake Side hospital, a sufferer from gall stones. After a somewhat restless day, he is reported in an official bulletin tonight as holding his own. If the patient's condition continues to improve, the bulletin said, it is not likely that an operation for the removal of the gall stones will be necessary. The physicians state that Mr. Sherman's well known abstemious habits have given him much bodily strength to resist the ravages of the disease.

The following telegram was dictated by Mr. Sherman to his secretary this evening in answer to a message of sympathy from the Presidential nominee, William H. Taft:

"Lakeside Hospital,
"Cleveland, O., June 23, 1908.

"Hon. William H. Taft New Haven, Conn.

"My Dear Mr. Taft:

"My illness is not of a critical nature and the doctors this afternoon advised me that I can probably go home in three or four days. I thank you ever so much indeed for your cordial telegram. I expect to see you in Washington on Wednesday, of next week.

(Signed.) "J. S. SHERMAN."

The unfavorable symptom in the case is the continued high temperature. In the 8 o'clock bulletin given out tonight it was given as 102 1-2, with pulse normal. At the hour Mr. Sherman was restless.

The extreme heat of the day, running into the nineties, did not add much to the comfort of the patient.

Representative Sherman arrived in Cleveland last Sunday from Cincinnati, following a conference with Secretary Taft. He went immediately to the home of ex-Governor Herrick where he remained until taken to the hospital this morning.

Mrs. Sherman and son Richard, arrived in Cleveland at 4:35 o'clock P. M. from their home in Utica. They hurried to hospital in an automobile. Upon arrival, Mrs. Sherman was so nervous and weak as a result of her anxiety that she had to be carried in a chair to the apartments assigned to her. She did not immediately enter the sick room of her husband, but remained in her rooms until she had recovered her strength. The meeting of the father, mother and son was under conditions entirely different from those planned for this evening at their Utica home, where elaborate arrangements had been made for the home-coming of the Vice Presidential nominee. Mr. Sherman expressed his profound interest in the plans made for his reception and voiced his keen disappointment at not being able to be at home

RIOTING IN TEHERAN

Parliament House Attacked by Troops —A Bloody Encounter.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Teheran, June 23.—After a bloody fight which was waged around the Parliament building today, the city was comparatively quiet tonight although the Cossacks were camped in the streets and squares. Cossacks and soldiers early in the morning surrounded the Parliament and demanded that a number of persons whose arrest the Shah had ordered be forthwith handed over to them. Parliament refused to comply with this demand and shots were fired at the troops, several of the soldiers being killed. Orders were at once issued from military headquarters that the Parliamentary building be bombarded and the bombardment commenced soon after 10 o'clock. While this was in progress bombs were thrown from the Parliament building and the mosque adjoining, disabling one of the guns and wounding the gunners.

Eventually the halls of Parliament were cleared, but not before many persons had been killed and wounded. The bombardment continued until 3 o'clock in the afternoon when it suddenly ceased. In the meantime the troops pillaged the political clubs in that neighborhood and numerous residences of influential members of parliament, in which work they were aided by the populace.

The number of casualties is unknown, but it will be very large. The Parliament buildings are practically in ruins. The firing was confined to Parliament square, other parts of the city being comparatively quiet. Large numbers of leading nationalists, including priests and members of pa rliament, have been placed under arrest.

London, June 23.—A special to the Daily Mail from Teheran says that the responsibility for the fighting lies with Parliament, which took advantage of the Shah's momentary weakness. His Majesty's cossacks, the dispatch adds, suffered heavily, but the day ended in practical victory for the Shah. Much now depends on his wisdom in restoring or bringing his coup d'etat to a successful issue.

Mid-week Dance Tonight.

Mid-week dance at Gay Lumina tonight.

THE WOOD REID WEDDING

In the Royal Chapel of St. James Palace—King Edward and Others of Royal Family Present—Wedding Reception.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

London, June 23.—With King Edward and Queen Alexandra smiling approval from their private gallery, Jean Reid, daughter of Whitelaw Reid, the American Ambassador to England, was married this afternoon in the chapel royal of St James palace to the Hon. John Hubert Ward, brother of the Earl of Dudley and equerry-in-waiting to the King. The ancient chapel, one of the few remaining of the old palace of Tudors, in which Queen Victoria and several of her daughters were married was prettily decorated with flowers for this, the most fashionable of recent weddings in London.

A great crowd assembled in St. James square to watch the arrival of the bridal party and the King and Queen and other members of the royal family who, by their attendance at the chapel and the subsequent reception at Dorchester house, the city residence of Ambassador Reid, paid a compliment to the American Ambassador and his daughter seldom accorded even to members of the English nobility.

The invitations, which were limited to less than 100 on account of the smallness of the church, set the time of arrival at 2:45 o'clock P. M., and by that hour all the guests had found their seats. While the guests were assembling Dr. Alcock, the composer and the organist of the chapel royal, played a fugue by Johann Sebastian Bach, the nuptial march by Alex Guilmant, the entr'acte and bridal march from the "Birds of Aristophanes," by Sir H. H. Parry, an andantino by Guilmant and the prelude to Act III. of "Lohengrin."

A few minutes before 3 o'clock King Edward and Queen Alexandra, accompanied by their suites, drove up from Buckingham palace and proceeded at once to the royal gallery where the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patria already had arrived. As is customary in the church of England service, the clergyman accompanied by a surpliced choir formed a bridal procession at the door and proceeded up the chapel, the choir singing "Lead Us, Heavenly Father, Lead Us."

The bride wore but three pieces of jewelry and these were old fashioned clasp bracelets.

King Edward who is greatly pleased with the alliance formed by his favorite equerry, was profuse in his congratulations to the bride and the groom and their families. With Queen Alexandra, the Prince and Princess of Wales and the Duke of Connaught, his Majesty remained at Dorchester House for some time, mingling freely with the guests.

In addition to the political and social leaders of England and the younger friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ward there were present at the reception the diplomatic representatives of all foreign countries and their staffs and large numbers of the Americans, resident in England.

At Wrest Park, the country seat of the Reids, the day was made one of general rejoicing.

Of the presents received none is more prized than those from the children at Wrest Park. President Roosevelt sent from Washington a rare old book in Dutch, on white vellum and profusely illustrated, entitled "America."

THE ANTI-RACING ACT.

Passed by the Louisiana Legislature After a Hot Contest.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Baton Rouge, La., June 23.—After a campaign lasting several months the close of which was marked by a bitter fight, the so-called Locke anti-racing bill was this afternoon passed by the Louisiana State Senate by a vote of 21 to 19. The bill passed the House several weeks ago and now only requires the signature of the Governor to become a law.

There appears no doubt that Governor Sanders will sign the bill immediately.

It required 21 votes to get the bill through the Senate, and the last 24 hours before its passage were marked by a desperate effort to muster the necessary strength. One Senator was found to be suffering from some form of poisoning and another, who had committed himself in favor of the bill, did not show up. Several physicians were put to work on the ailing member and two New Orleans reporters were sent scurrying in an automobile through the Louisiana marshes on a 90-mile trip after the one who was absent. Both of these Senators were finally gotten on the floor and made the 21 votes necessary to carry the bill. A minute or so previous to final passage of the bill a lively and somewhat bitter debate was indulged in by members of the body. Senator Tabbe charged that the racing faction had used "knock out drops" to keep Senators away from their sworn duty and charges and counter-charges followed. The passage of the bill was greeted with a storm of applause. The bill prohibits machines or gambling in any form on races.

EXPLOSION ON LOCOMOTIVE.

Three Men Killed and the Track Blocked.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New Brunswick, N. J., June 23.—Three men were killed by the explosion of a locomotive on the Pennsylvania railroad at Stelton, two miles from here this afternoon. The locomotive was drawing a work train. The dead are: William Roberts, engineer; John Hohman, fireman, and Robert Donnelly, flagman, all of New Brunswick. The accident blocked three of the four tracks.

AN OVATION TO MR. TAFT

By an Immense Crowd on University of Yale Base Ball Club.

THE YALE-HARVARD GAME

Reason for Gathering—The Secretary at Head of Alumni, Marches Around Field—Tremendous Applause—Yale Wins.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New Haven, Conn., June 23.—As wild a scene of jubilation and as picturesque a mass of humanity as ever had a setting on a baseball diamond was that which the alumni of Yale University presented as a greeting to Secretary William H. Taft this afternoon as he sat with his class of '78 in the stand on Yale field to see the annual game between the blue and the crimson. His cup of happiness was filled to overflowing, for not only was the crowd a record-breaker in his honor, and the classes the noisiest ever in their dances upon the greensward, but Yale whipped her rival by the score of 3 to 0. As an omen of good luck, Secretary Taft, marching with Judge Hollister in the front rank of his class, and immediately following a band which constantly played the stirring Yale airs, and flanked on either side by the Stars and Stripes and the banner of the class of '78, marched twice around the ball field in full view of more than 14,000 wildly cheering men and women and followed by the re-union classes numbering several hundred young men in their fantastic and striking garb.

Secretary Taft and his class at the head of all re-union classes made its appearance on the ball field at 3 o'clock. As the familiar figure of the Secretary came from around their stands, thousands of people rose to their feet and gave many lusty yells, and bands, massed behind the stands waiting for them to come into view, burst out into music. The tremendous roar which went up awoke the echoes. The class of '78, with Mr. Taft at its head, swung on to the field and then began the procession which for more than 30 minutes was one great moving band of color and action. Stand after stand swung into unison of cheering under the leadership of men with megaphones, as Mr. Taft and his classmates went by. In the column were bull fighters and Irish peasants, Tyroleans, Rough Riders freely using six-shooters, and others with contrasting colored uniforms while here and there was a feature such as a wild bull impersonated by two men under a skin, an enormous lion, men on horseback and others carrying placards on which were numerous references to the chief guests of the day. As the column wound round for the second time, Mr. Taft and his party halted at their stand and reviewed a part of the classes and then they took seats.

The ball game was a good one. When in the seventh Yale cut loose and scored two runs the enthusiasm of the Yale men knew no bounds. Secretary Taft's tribute to the team and its captain came in the first inning when Tad Jones stepped to the bat. Up rose the Secretary and the class with him and the band in front played "For God, For Country, and For Yale" and one more wave of cheering swept round and round the field.

As soon as the game was over, Secretary Taft passed out of the stand and in the midst of a knot of friends he shook hands with a great many acquaintances. Then he walked out on the field and then under the leadership of the band, he and the others marched to a car which conveyed the party to the home of President Hadley.

The ball game was won by Yale's batting ability. Harvard looked dangerous in the ninth, but sharp fielding quickly ended her career at the bat.

The score:

Harvard .....000 000 000—0	3	2
Yale .....100 000 20*—3	8	0

Batteries: Hicks and Currier, Van Vlek and Wiley. Time 1:16. Umpires Adams and Smith.

UNINSTRUCTED DELEGATION

From Georgia to Denver Convention —No Endorsement of Watson.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Atlanta, Ga., June 23.—Georgia will send an uninstructed delegation to the Democratic National Convention at Denver. The Democratic State convention met here today, selected delegates to the Denver convention, formally ratified the nomination of the State ticket headed by Joseph M. Brown, for Governor, which was chosen at the recent primary, and adopted a platform. A resolution endorsing Thomas E. Watson for the second place on the Democratic National ticket was overwhelmingly defeated.

The platform urges strict control of all public utility corporations; pledges the strict and just enforcement of the present State Prohibition law and the use of all legitimate means to defeat any amendment which may tend to weaken or emasculate it.

Continuing the platform says:

"We favor such constitutional restrictions on suffrage as shall prevent the balloting of the venal and the corrupt. Confidently relying upon the ratification of the proposed franchise amendments next October, we pledge ourselves to the strict and impartial enforcement of the same."

The delegates at large are A. H. Cox, of Atlanta; P. W. Meldrim, of Savannah; W. S. West, of Valdosta, and Thomas W. Loyless, of Augusta.

ROOSEVELT ON THE FARM

He Takes Part in Hay Making and Felling Trees—To Go to New London to Witness the Yale-Harvard Boat Race Tomorrow.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Oyster Bay, N. Y., June 23.—The sun shone at Oyster Bay today and the President made hay During the morning Mr. Roosevelt was content to supervise the work, but tomorrow morning when the sizable that covers the hillside in front of the President's home has ripened the Chief Executive will take a hand in the work. Making hay is one of the early occupations engaged in by the President on his summer vacation, and he enjoys it thoroughly. This morning he took a horseback ride; in the heat of the day he labored in the field and just before dinner laid down a sturdy tree, the usefulness of which except as fuel had been ended.

The hay garnered the Roosevelt family will leave for New London, where, from the deck of the President's yacht Sylph, the party will witness the Yale-Harvard boat race Thursday. It will be strictly a family party, the only others aboard according to the plans made known here tonight being the crew and two secret service men. Secretary Loeb will remain here. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., will join the party at New London and return here with the family. In a few days he will leave for the Lake Superior region where he will enter the employ of the United States Steel Corporation under the direction of John C. Greenway, a personal friend of the young man's father.

Secretary Loeb announced tonight that the President did not expect to meet Secretary Taft at New London

At 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the President, Mrs. Roosevelt, Miss Ethel, Quentin and Kermit will board the Mayflower and set sail for New London. The trip will be made leisurly, the Mayflower arriving in the Thames Thursday morning.

As the Mayflower is too large a craft to navigate in the river the passengers in the morning will transfer to the Sylph which will have preceded the Mayflower to the mouth of the Thames.

Harris Dickson, of Vicksburg, Miss., who was one of those who arranged Mr. Roosevelt's hunting trip of last fall was the President's first guest of this summer's vacation. The President had learned that the Mississippian was in New York and sent him a luncheon invitation for today.

THIRD DISTRICT DEMOCRATS.

Thomas Named for Sixth Term—Delegates and Elector.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 23.—Hon. Chas. R. Thomas, of Newbern, was today at Goldsboro nominated by the Democratic Congressional District convention for the sixth time as a member of the National House of Representatives, after a service of ten years. He had no opposition and the nomination was by acclamation.

Four delegates and no alternates were elected to the National Democratic Convention, those being E. M. Koonce, of Josksonville; G. B. Richardson, of Newbern; L. A. Bethune, of Clinton, and H. L. Gibbs, of Bayboro.

H. D. Williams of Kenansville, was elected as Presidential elector. No resolutions were adopted or instructions given to the delegates named for the National Democratic convention.

ALMOST A LYNCHING.

Close Shave of Two Georgia Negroes For Infamous Crime.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Rome, Ga., June 23.—Floyd Walker and Henry Ogletree, negroes, were brought to Rome from Aragon today escorted by a company of militia after a narrow escape from lynching. It is said the two negroes attempted criminal assaults on two daughters of George Suddoth, a white farmer near Aragon about 6 o'clock this morning. Attracted by the cries of the girls Otis Anderson, who was working in a field nearby rushed to their rescue and was fired on by the negroes and slightly wounded. A posse from Aragon later captured the negroes and with great difficulty prevented a lynching.

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W. H. PRIDGEN,

Elm City, N. C.

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